

The La Crosse Tribune

SENATE ASKS INFORMATION ON DISMISSAL

PRESIDENT IS ASKED TO EXPLAIN

Negro Matter How- ever Goes Over

HEAR MESSAGE TOMORROW

First Ripple of Excitement Over Discharge of Col- ored Soldiers

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—Both branches of congress met at noon. The full membership of the senate was present, the first time in three years there have been ninety senators.

Each house convened and sent word to the president that the legislative mill was ready to grind. The president returned the answer that he "would communicate in writing."

In the house new members were received and scores of resolutions were handed to the clerks and filed away.

Each house passed resolutions in memory of members who had died since the last session and adjourned until tomorrow afternoon when they will receive the president's message.

Take Up Negro Fight

As expected the perfunctory session of the senate was given ginger by Penrose who introduced a resolution calling upon the president for information concerning the order dismissing the three negro companies from the army.

The chair called attention to the custom that no business be transacted until they officially heard from the president, but Fairbanks could not freeze him. Foraker was on his feet instantly and called for the records of the case from the secretary of war.

Senator Warren objected to consideration of the Penrose and Foraker resolutions and they were allowed to go over. New cabinet members, announced during the recess were nominated. Mrs. Longworth attended the opening of the house.

Moody for Supreme Court

The president today sent the nomination of Moody to be justice of the supreme court to the senate. Other nominations included James D. Elliott of the South Dakota district.

BANQUET PLANS

Whether the Board of Trade should hold a banquet this season will be considered at the annual December meeting tomorrow night. The banquet, if held, probably will come during the month of February as has been the custom in the past.

No other new propositions are to come before the body at the meeting.

When widows get married again they ought to cut out the references they give the second husband from the first.

FEDERATIONISTS TO STAY IN JAIL

Supreme Court Refuses to Free Alleged Murderers

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—The supreme court today declined to release the officials of the western federation of miners, charged with implication in the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg, from custody of the Idaho authorities.

Justice Harlan announced the opinion. The accused had applied for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground they were illegally arrested in Colorado and thus taken illegally into Idaho. This was quashed by the federal court of Idaho, the decision being affirmed today by the supreme court. The guilt of the accused was not considered.

BURNS BARN OF ANTI-EQUITIST

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

OWENSBORO, Ky., Dec. 3.—A barn belonging to James Wilson, an opponent of the American Society of Equity, was burned by incendiaries, destroying twenty-nine mules and tons of grain and hay. The loss is \$10,000.

A hundred and fifty thousand pounds of tobacco belonging to Wilson's tenants, all equity sympathizers, was not touched.

PROPOSE REV. IRISH MAYOR

Through his efforts for reform the Rev. James W. Irish, pastor of the King Street Methodist church, is being mentioned as a candidate for mayor on the republican ticket at the spring election in several quarters, including the La Crosse club.

Col. Fred A. Copeland, former mayor, is said to be promoting Rev. Irish's candidacy. Col. Copeland is absent from the city today and could not be interviewed. Other men of the same caliber of Col. Copeland have discussed the subject.

The Rev. Irish came to La Crosse one year ago from Ashland, Wis., where he was pastor of the church. He became prominent there by his aid to the labor cause.

"UNIQUE" BUILDING IS PLANNED FOR MISSION

Progress was reported on the city mission by the committee, consisting of John M. Holley Sr., E. E. Bentley and Henry Hallauer, who have charge of selecting a site for the institution, at the meeting of the Pastors' union this morning.

Since the withdrawal of the Unique theater this place has been considered for the mission though the committee has made no arrangements.

The pastors of the city are anxious that the mission, under Captain Ivy, formerly with the Salvation army, be started at once. It was proposed at the meeting that one of the Biederwolf meetings be held in the mission. The Rev. Dr. W. D. Thomas read an interesting paper on "Philosophic Basis for Scientific Study and of Theology."

SHOPLIFTERS STOLE COAT; ARE CAPTURED

Thieves Who Robbed Barron Store Are Nabbed in Elkhart, Ind.

ShoPLifters paid a successful visit to La Crosse on Nov. 24, a trio securing a seal skin sacque, valued at \$265, from the E. R. Barron company store. A warrant for the arrest of the trio was secured by C. J. Felber, manager of the establishment, from Judge Brindley Saturday. Mr. Felber believes the trio is under arrest at Elkhart, Ind.

The warrants call for the arrest of Jacob Schmitt, Rose Wettakohr and Joseph Schnick.

Pending efforts to secure \$5,000 bail, the three will not be brought to La Crosse for trial. If bail is secured, all will be brought to La Crosse and confronted with the grand larceny charge.

"The Elkhart authorities believe they have a good case against the three," said Mr. Felber today. "All will be tried at Elkhart and if a conviction is not obtained, they will be brought here."

"The goods were not found on the shoplifters at Elkhart, but a good case has been secured. We also have a good case here and are anxious to prosecute."

"To provide against costly raids on stocks by bands of professional shoplifters, the dealers in many of the northwest cities may organize into a chain of stores for mutual protection. After robbery they will notify stores ahead to be on the lookout for the thieves, in this way saving many dollars."

"After working La Crosse Schmitt, the Wettakohr woman and Schnick went to Winona, Minn., then to Rochester and on to St. Paul and Minneapolis. They secured booty in each city. Their plan is to express the plunder out of the city at first opportunity, thus weakening the case against them if caught."

"The trio is composed of persons old at the game. They may be brought here for trial, all depending upon the result of the case at Elkhart. If bail is secured, all must answer here, for it is the purpose of the chain to keep shoplifters in jail as much as possible."

Little was said of the theft after it was committed. The first known of it was when Mr. Felber secured the warrant Saturday.

SILVER TUBE DID NOT SAVE LIFE

Charles Frederic Rowe, aged 5 years, died shortly after midnight at the home of his parents, near Midway, of diphtheria after an illness of only four days. An operation was performed on the boy's throat and a silver tube inserted that he might breathe, but the efforts were unavailing.

The death is the first from diphtheria this season.

SHARPSHOOTERS TO ELECT

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected tonight by the La Crosse Sharpshooters' association at the rooms on North Third street. Other matters of interest will be discussed by the members of the association.

In football, it isn't always the punter who makes the best punt.

HOLD SOLDIERS READY FOR RIOT

Case Nearly Ready for Jury; Hits Yellow Press

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

HERKIMER, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Attorney Mills, senior counsel for Chester Gillette, summed up the case before the jury this morning.

He attacked the "foul and yellow press," and said at least one writer, attendant upon the trial, "had earned a place in prison."

The Thirty-first Separate Military company of Herkimer is holding itself in readiness to suppress disorders or attempts at lynching should the jury in the trial of Chester Gillette find the prisoner innocent of the killing of Grace ("Billy") Brown.

The company has assembled in the armory here awaiting orders of District Attorney Ward.

Fears are expressed, because of the high state of feeling against the prisoner, that should the jury find him not guilty, or be unable to agree upon a verdict, a mob would take the law in its own hands.

It is learned that if the jury remains out more than a hour in its deliberations, the militia will march at once to the court house. All the entrances will be guarded and a platoon of soldiers will be flung across the street from the jail to the court house to protect Gillette when he passes from the jail to hear the verdict.

Twenty years ago Mrs. Roxanna Druse, who had killed her husband, was nearly lynched when she was taken into the jail yard to be hanged. A great crowd swarmed about the woman and the guards hurried her to the jail. The doors were beaten in and she was about to be taken when the militia was hurried to the scene and the woman was executed.

District Attorney Ward does not propose to have any disorders if they can be prevented. The militia has been placed under his orders and Capt. Eddy will execute them. There is only a small police force in Herkimer and with only half a dozen deputy sheriffs any concerted movement on the part of a frenzied mob might easily lead to lawlessness and a possible swing of Gillette from a tree.

NEW WEATHER MAN COMES AFTER XMAS

E. C. Thompson, appointed to the La Crosse weather bureau, will report at the local office to Weather Forecaster G. H. Oberholzer shortly after Christmas. Mr. Thompson at present is on a leave of absence of one month, spending the time at Burlington, Vt.

VETERANS GIVEN AID

The Soldiers' Relief commission met this morning in the office of Coroner Cronon. Several needy veterans were given aid.

TOILET TESTIMONIALS

Oyster Bay.

Dear friends:
I've used Pears soap, and find there isn't any better kind. With grateful thanks and heartfelt, I'm,

Dee-lighted,
ROOSEVELT.

Sin From Frisco.

To the Great Unwashed:
My monthly bath, it pleases me When I am smeared with Ivory. It is the best, whereof in proof, I always use Immunity.

I beg to be,

126 Broadway.

To whom it may concern:
Pears soap and Ivory I spurn, And bathing with impunity (I'm bathing frequently of late) I always use Immunity. I beg to be,

Yours,
JOHN D.

CORNERSTONE OF NEW SYR- IAN CHURCH

Bishop Schwebach and Rev. Salome Conduct Impress- ive Seremonies

The cornerstone of the Syrian Catholic church was laid yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, a large number attending the services, which were conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop James Schwebach, assisted by Rev. Ambrose Murphy of the St. James church, Rev. Salome, who has traveled through a large number of countries and has conducted services many times in the orient, and Rev. Father Beyer and Untraut of the South side.

After short services at the rear of the church, where a rude cross was erected beside a temporary altar consisting of a table and crucifix, the bishop made his way to the front of the church and gave a short but interesting lecture.

He said in part that he was about to perform a very rare ceremony, not rare in the sense of the word that the dedication of Catholic churches in this country are rare, but that the dedication of Syrian Catholic churches was very rare.

After the services a collection was taken up for the benefit of the church and donations were very generous.

The stone was at once secured in place by the masons as soon as it had been laid.

Rev. Salome read the manuscript which was placed in it to the Syrian people of whom there were a large number present.

Rev. Ambrose Murphy then translated and read the manuscript in English. It read that the church had been dedicated to Our Lady of Lourdes in 1906 with Rev. Salome as its pastor and also gave the name of the contractor who built it and the name of Mayor Torrance.

Mr. Munyer then tendered a few words of introduction and thanks for the large attendance and generous donations, after which Rev. Salome gave a very interesting lecture on the history of the Syrian Catholic church in the orient.

"It is impossible for me to express myself in your beautiful English language without difficulty," said Rev. Salome proceeding nevertheless with an eloquent address.

The ceremonies were completed after which all went to the home of Mr. Abraham, 711 Mill street where an elaborate Turkish dinner was served and the remainder of the afternoon and evening.

11 MONTHS FOR STEALING A COAT

John Brenna, overcoat thief, was sentenced to eleven months at Wau-pun today by Judge Brindley on a charge of grand larceny. Brenna's plea of guilty saved him one month, the judge allowing him this time for aiding the county in conviction.

Brenna stole an overcoat valued at \$40 from the store of Nels Thompson, 133 South Fourth street, Saturday afternoon. Patrolman McGrath arrested Brenna at the Milwaukee depot. The coat was a poor fit, aiding in the identity of the thief.

The annual election of officers of the La Crosse Assembly No. 154, Equitable Fraternal union, will be held this evening at Woodman hall. The next state convention of this order will be held in La Crosse next year.

GOOD CHRISTIANS FAVOR REVIVALS

Dr. Biederwolf Addresses Great Audience Sunday

Last night the Congregational church was packed to the doors and hundreds of people were unable to obtain even standing room at the opening service of the Biederwolf special union meetings. A large chorus occupied the special platform and led in the inspiring music. Homer Rodeheaver directed the singing and proved himself a master indeed. He also sang a couple of solos. His voice is rich and strong. His spirit is winning. He captivates the audience. He will be a power during the progress of the meetings. Dr. W. E. Biederwolf preached a sermon of the evening on the text, "For What Intent Have Ye Sent for Us." He is a scholar, earnest, practical man, filled with a purpose to help and uplift all who come within the sound of his voice. He is not sensational, neither does he build himself up with odd mannerisms. He preaches strongly and simply from the depth of his own convictions the truth as he perceives it. He has the hearty endorsement of pastors and people and these meetings promise to have a far reaching influence. Meetings will be held every night but Saturday and Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 3 in the Congregational church. Tonight he will speak on "The Home" giving an address which has proved a great inspiration and blessing to thousands of people. Following is a brief synopsis of last night's sermon:

The speaker asked the question which Peter asked Cornelius, "For what intent have ye sent for us?" Dr. Biederwolf said, "I am very sure you would say, 'We have not sent for you to preach any new gospel, for if you have you have surely sent for the wrong man. There shall fall from my lips nothing you have not heard over and over again from the ministers of God in your city. This world needs no new gospel. The old gospel of the Son of God crucified, resurrected and exalted, is still the power, and the only power, unto salvation for everyone that believeth; and possibly, brethren, this sin-cursed world is crying a little more in the night of its need for the Christ of God than some of us have dared believe. And that minister of God (may God forgive him!) who stands in the pulpit of his Christ and substitutes for the sweet story of Jesus those fascinating mixtures of ethical culture, and current opinion, and what the higher critics think, is deceiving himself and denying his God and giving to a hungry world a stone for bread."

"It has remained for the day in which we live to have imposed upon its people more curious vagaries and eccentricities of thought and perverted forms of religious belief and practice than has ever been the case since the Christ first pressed his claims upon the human race, and so subtle and fascinating have been these spiritual speculations and cunningly devised philosophies that some of the choicest among the elect of God have been deceived thereby and have drifted away from the moorings of their former sweet faith."

Christians Don't Object

"Nor have I come to preach the gospel any better than these ministers who have preached it before me. It may come in a new dress of language but it will be the same old gospel. I cannot understand how a Christian can object to a revival. I can understand his objections to the evangelist and to certain methods, but for his prejudice against the idea of a revival I cannot account for in the heart of anyone who has been born again by the Spirit of God. Spring time is but a revival when field and forest are clothed with new life and power, when hillside and valley blush with beauty and the gnarled and twisted oak renews its youth. The far-

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LABOR'S IS THE GREAT- EST TRUST

Post Attacks Fed- eration Today

OPEN SHOP IS GROWING

Says 'Since Recent Defeat Necessity of Freedom is Obvious

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 3.—At the opening of the Citizens' Industrial convention this morning, President Post attacked the American Federation of Labor as the greatest trust with which the people have to contend.

He reviewed the organization of the propaganda for the "open shop" and declared the "open shop" is being gradually re-established in the building trades, printing houses and other industries.

He said since labor's defeat in the last campaign the newspapers show "greater freedom from labor's dictation."

He said it is necessary to industrial peace that we must have open shop, an unrestricted number of apprentices no boycott, no violence and no picketing.

HE OBJECTED TO TENEMENT

Plans for the construction of a row of tenement houses at the southeast corner of Thirteenth and Main streets, received a sad blow this morning when Judge Fruit rendered a decision in favor of the defendant in the suit of Jessie M. Holway versus John P. Salzer.

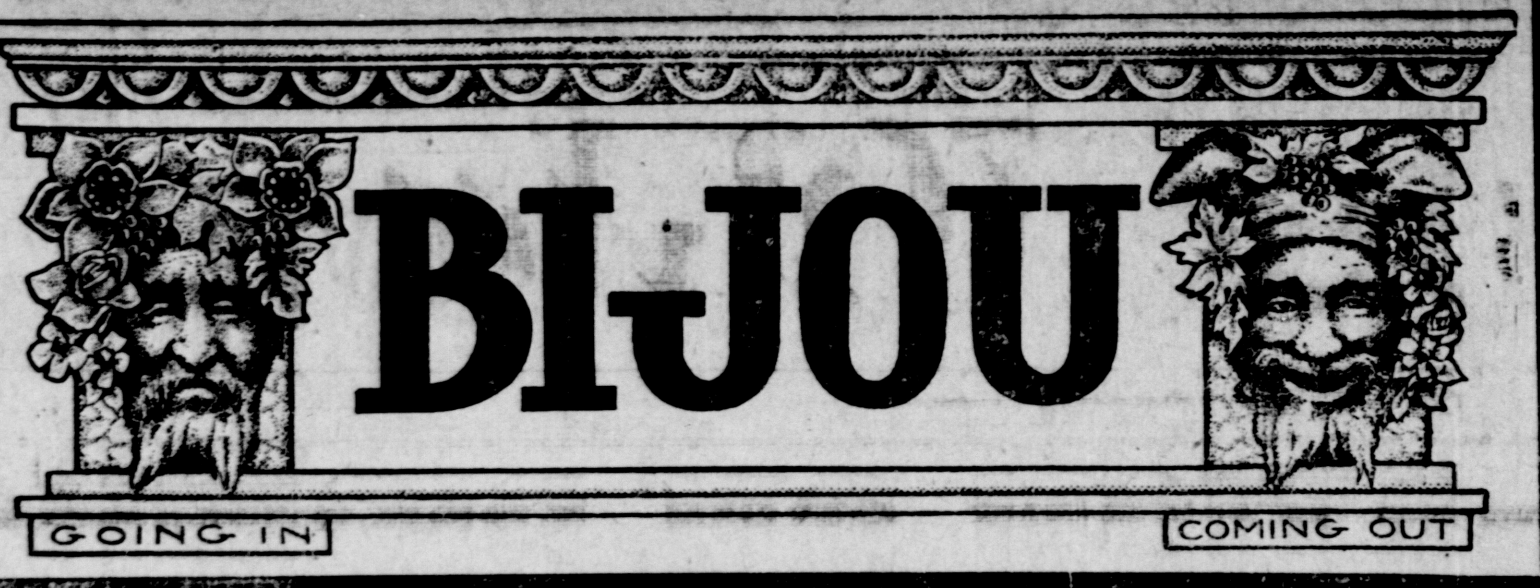
Through Peter Lehnen as agent, Mr. Salzer agreed to sell two lots, for a net consideration of \$3,500, provided that the purchaser be known and satisfactory to him. Mr. Lehnen agreed to sell the lots to Mrs. Holway. Mr. Lehnen received a check for \$100 and drew up a contract for \$3,500.

Mr. Salzer objected to Mrs. Holway's plan to construct a tenement on the corner and Judge Fruit held that Mr. Lehnen had not fulfilled his contract as agent for Mr. Salzer and that the latter need not give a deed for the two lots to Mrs. Holway as demanded.

Few men believe in an everlasting fire and brimstone punishment—except for their neighbors.

WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair and somewhat colder tonight; Tuesday threatening and warmer. Coldest, 32; warmest, 44; wind, 12 miles.



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A REVELATION IN VAUDEVILLE!

Our Popular Ladies' Matinee Daily at 2:30 is Bound to be Packed to the doors all week

Program this Week Headed by the Popular and World Renowned Dramatic Stars

Joseph J. & Myra Dowling

In the Following Repertoire of Playlets:

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday---"A Sage Brush Widow"

Thursday, Friday and Saturday---"Lot's Wife"

Sunday---"Mrs. Barnum's Baby"

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In their genteel offering entitled

"The Right Stocking"

SEE AND HEAR BABY OGDEN, AS BEAUTIFUL AS SHE IS CLEVER.

The World's Wonder Mlle. Brachard

Novelty Revolving Globe Act, cleverly assisted by the trick juggler

ORRIN

They were one of the features with the Ringling Brothers' Circus for two years and with the great Adam Forepaugh & Sells Bros.' Circus 3 seasons.

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The Poacher in Love with the Game Keeper's Daughter

Thrilling, Exciting and in Parts Pathetic

MUSIC! MUSIC! Wonders of the Musical World

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Featuring Mr. Bingham, the world's greatest artist, playing 2 cornets at one and the same time.

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Every Evening at

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Come Early and Avoid the Rush.

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School Children's Matinee Next Saturday, Admission 5c.
Beautiful Presents Free.

UNIVERSALISTS ORGANIZE NEW SOCIETY OF LAYMEN

Officers are Elected and New Organization will Try to Stimulate Work Within the Congregation

With twenty men as charter members, the Laymen's league of the St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass streets, was organized Saturday night after an inspiring address by the Rev. D. McGlaulin, church superintendent of Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota, and a short address by the Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor of the church. The purpose of the society is to in-

pointed shortly to adopt a provisional constitution, along lines proposed by the Rev. Lowe.

Mrs. J. S. Lowe rendered a vocal solo at the banquet, provided by the women of the church, before the business meeting began. Little Florence Hermann played two violin solos.

The Rev. McGlaulin followed with an address on "The Universalist Lay-



REV. D. M'GLAULIN.

crease the attendance of men at church and to take charge of the ushering, music and other religious matters.

Officers for the first year were elected as follows:

President—W. A. Pryor.
Vice president—E. S. Hebbard.
Secretary—W. E. Barber.
Treasurer—William Torrance.
Dr. H. B. Laflin, E. L. Spicer and E. S. Hebbard were appointed a committee on membership by the president. Another committee will be ap-

man," depicting the duties of the male member of the church to the institution. The address was listened to attentively and had a large share in the formal organization of the club.

The charter members are—T. P. Benton, H. E. Wheaton, W. E. Barber, W. A. Pryor, G. S. Miller, C. F. Sanborn, E. L. Spicer, D. C. Jenks, Dr. W. Lambert, A. A. Morse, Dr. H. B. Laflin, Bert Lewis, S. J. Waite, E. S. Scholl, William Torrance, W. W. West, Carl Kurtenacker, I. H. Moulton.

APPRAISERS MEET IN NEW YORK

(Tribune Special Service.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The local appraisers of customs at the chief ports of entry gathered in New York today for their annual conference, which will continue the greater part of the week. At these conferences there is a thorough discussion of the questions relating to the appraisement of merchandise imported, and the result of the appraisers are enabled to get a more thorough understanding of many difficult points that arise in connection with their work. The local appraisers of Buffalo, Newport News, San Francisco, New York, New Orleans, Detroit, St. Louis, Boston, Chicago and several other large cities are attending the present conference.

ADVOCATE INDUS- TRIAL SCHOOLS

(Tribune Special Service.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 3.—The fourth annual convention of the Citizens' Industrial Association of America, which began a two days' session in this city today, will voice a demand for the establishment of industrial schools throughout the United States. The association, which has stood steadfast for the principle of "open shop" in labor and against "trusts" of either labor or capital, will also devote much attention to checking tendencies toward socialism and the development of class interests in politics and industry. At the opening of the convention there were present representatives of between 300 and 400 industrial bodies, national and local, which comprise the membership of the association.

DAVIS VISITS OLD HOME

F. G. Davis of Macon, N. C., is calling on old friends in the city, after spending about a year at his new home in the sunny south.

Mr. Davis is well pleased with his new location and thinks the state of North Carolina will become a much greater agricultural state than it was before the war. He says the old deserted plantations are being bought up by northern men who, by applying northern energy, are making valuable farms out of them.

Mr. Davis expects to remain at his old home in Galesville about a month or six weeks before returning home.

Thieves are bound to their professions by hooks of steel.

OPENED WITH USUAL FORMALITIES

(Tribune Special Service.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—With the time of both the senate and house devoted to the usual formalities of opening, the last session of the fifty-ninth congress was assembled today. The gavels of Vice President Fairbanks, president of the senate, and Speaker Cannon of the house, fell exactly at noon. The opening prayers were made by the chaplains, Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale in the senate and Rev. H. N. Couden in the house. In both bodies the first work was the appointment of committees to wait upon the president and inform him that congress was ready to receive any communication he had to send. Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Representative Hoar of Massachusetts, of Representative Hitt of Illinois, and Representative Ketchum of New York, who passed away during the recess, little or no business outside the usual first day routine was attempted.

The scene at the opening was a brilliant and busy one. There were the greetings among members, and the hundreds of visitors with beautifully gowned women predominating. Corridors, committee rooms and cloak rooms were thronged. The bustle extended even to the floors of the chambers.

There was much good natured chaff and raillery extended between the victors and the vanquished at the recent election. Several of the best-known figures on both branches were defeated at the polls last month and will retire with the expiration of the session begun today.

MAINTENANCE OF WAY EMPLOYES

(Tribune Special Service.)

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 3.—The leading railway systems of the United States, Canada and Mexico, are represented at the sixth biennial convention of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance-of-Way employees, which began its session in Toronto today. The convention was called to order in the Labor Temple this morning by President John T. Wilson. The convention expects to be in session a week or longer. The principal work will be the consideration of the reports of the grand officers and the election of officers for the ensuing two years.

Vote today in the Tribune Contest.

AUGUST CRAIG VISITS CITY

August Craig, of the town of Burns, left for his home Saturday after spending a few days in the city attending to some business matters at the county seat.

Mr. Craig is one of the old, sturdy German farmers of this county who rightly claims the title of a La Crosse county pioneer.

Mr. Craig said to a Tribune reporter that he seldom visits the city nowadays unless to attend to business matters.

He reports a splendid crop throughout his neighborhood and general prosperity among the farmers.

If life is a burden to you it's a safe bet that you are a burden to your neighbors.

Notice of Sale on Foreclosure

State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court, La Crosse County.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure of sale made and entered in the above named court on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1905, in a certain action then pending wherein Gertrude Koch was plaintiff and Christian J. Dresen and Frances Dresen, his wife, and the C. & J. Michel Brewing company, a corporation, were defendants, I, John S. Hougden, the sheriff of the county of La Crosse, in the state of Wisconsin, duly authorized for this purpose by said court, in said judgment, will expose at public sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the east front door of the La Crosse county court house, in the city of La Crosse, Wisconsin, the following described real estate in said judgment ordered to be sold, situated, lying and being in the county of La Crosse, Wisconsin, to-wit:

The northeast quarter (NE ¼) of the southeast quarter (SE ¼) of section number thirty-three (33); also lot number four (4) of section number thirty-three (33); also the west half (W ½) of the southeast quarter (SE ¼) and all of the southwest quarter (SW ¼) of section number thirty-four (34), all in township number seventeen (17) north, of range number eight (8) west, according to the government survey, together with all the buildings and appurtenances thereon situated and thereunto belonging, and which are covered by the mortgage upon which the said judgment is based and in and by said judgment directed to be sold.

Dated this 5th day of November, A. D. 1906.

JOHN S. HOUGDEN,
Sheriff of La Crosse County, Wis.
HIGBEE & HIGBEE,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice to Taxpayers

Office of the City Treasurer, city hall La Crosse, Wisconsin, Dec. 1, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the Tax Roll for all the Taxes assessed and levied in the city of La Crosse, La Crosse county, state of Wisconsin, for the year 1906, with a tax warrant annexed, is now in my hands for collection, and that the taxes charged therein are subject to payment at my office in the city hall, in the said city of La Crosse, at any time prior to or on the 30th day of January, 1907.

The personal taxes must be paid on or before the 20th day of December, 1906, after which time I am compelled to enforce the collection of the same in the manner prescribed by law.

P. S.—Persons paying taxes will please bring a correct description of the lots and lands they want to pay taxes on, to avoid mistakes.

Office hours: 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 1:30 to 5 p. m.

GEO. W. YOUNG,
Form 165 City Treasurer.

NEW YEAR'S CALLS

A New Drink to Replace the Old Time "Apple-Jack."

Twenty-five years ago the custom of making New Year's calls was a delightful one for all concerned, until some of the boys got more "egg-nog" or "apple-jack" than they could successfully carry.

Then the ladies tried to be charitable and the gentlemen tried to be as chivalrous as ever and stand up at the same time.

If anyone thinks there has not been considerable improvement made in the last quarter of a century in the use of alcoholic beverages, let him stop to consider, among other things, the fact that the old custom of New Year's calls and the genteel tipping is nearly obsolete.

The custom of calling on one's friends, however, at the beginning of the New Year, is a good habit, and another good habit to start at that time is the use of well-made Postum instead of coffee or spirits.

A Staten Island doctor has a sensible daughter who has set Postum before her guests as a good thing to drink at Yule Tide, and a good way to begin the New Year. Her father writes:

"My daughter and I have used Postum for some time past and we feel sure it contains wholesome food material."

"I shall not only recommend it to my patients, but my daughter will be most pleased to give a demonstration of Postum to our Christmas and New Year's callers." Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a reason."

LA CROSSE THEATRE

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING TONIGHT, DECEMBER 3.

FRANK E. LONG STOCK COMPANY,

HEADED BY FRANK E. LONG AND NINA SULLIVAN

Tonight "A Parisian Princess"

Prices 10c, 20c, 30c. Seats Ready at Young's. One Lady Free with each 30c Ticket bought before 6 P. M. Tonight.

THURSDAY NIGHT, DEC. 6.**JEFFERSON DE ANGELIS****And His Opera Company**

(Management of Frank McKee)

IN THE SPARKLING NEW COMIC OPERA SUCCESS

THE GIRL AND THE GOVERNOR

Book by S. M. Brenner. Music by Julian Edwards.

25 GREAT SONG HITS—100 HEARTY LAUGHS

Mr. De Angelis Assisted by Company of Eighty includes J. C. Miron and Richie Ling.

Musical Event of the Year. Fun from Start to Finish.

Costumes Marvels of Sartorial Art—Scenery Fairylake in Splendor.

Prices 50c to \$1.50**SEATS READY WEDNESDAY MORNING AT YOUNG'S.****NORTH SIDE****CONDUCTOR'S SON IS DROWNED**

Frank Clay Jr., son of Conductor Clay of the river division of the Milwaukee road, who resides at Austin, met his death yesterday afternoon by drowning.

News was received by friends of the young man in this city today. He was about 18 years of age.

NEW TRAIN IN OPERATION

The new passenger train, No. 16 recently put on the Milwaukee road, in order to save the time schedule of the trains which run between St. Paul and Milwaukee, arrived last evening for the first time.

The La Crosse and river division engines will handle the stub train from the south side, between 6:30 and 6:45.

WILL MAKE LEATHER GOODS IN CITY

By the acquirement of the property of Bouton & Germain, Ripon, Wis., the manufacture of leather gloves will be introduced into La Crosse on a large scale by the La Crosse Knitting company. The machinery will be shipped here and the new industry started by Jan. 1, 1907.

With the shipment of the machinery and working stock of the Bouton & Germain company, the force of factory hands also will be brought to the city, adding materially to the population and also bringing a new factory. Sixty hands are expected to come to La Crosse.

The capacity of the La Crosse Knitting company will be increased about one-third. The fourth floor of the plant has been fitted up to accommodate the new manufacture.

F. G. Robbins, secretary and general manager of the La Crosse Knitting company has confirmed the report of the purchase and new industry.

On account of a bad wreck on the Chicago division of the Milwaukee road Saturday afternoon, No. 5 was delayed for several hours and the mail did not reach La Crosse until Sunday afternoon.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Most North side people are having their residences wired by the Electric Supply & Construction company, 227 Main street. Why don't you?

John Roggensack has returned to St. Paul where he will resume his duties after a few days' visit with his parents on the North side.

E. A. Berg has left for Los Angeles, Cal.

Paul Pulz who has been visiting his brother, Edward, on Caledonia street, has returned to his home in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly have returned to their home at Butte, Mont., after a few weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Finn.

Shaven Wheldon returned to his at Bangor and John Wheldon to his residence in South Dakota after a few days with relatives and friends on the North side.

Lars Instenes has returned from his home in Melrose where he spent a few days with relatives.

Timothy Desmond is ill at his home on Caledonia street.

William Ledger of Indian Hill, shot eleven rabbits yesterday.

Misses Jessie and Margaret Livingston have returned to their home at Black River Falls after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall of Loomis street.

Miss Ethel McClure who has been visiting at the Van Berg home on Avon street, has returned to her home at Sparta.

Mrs. John Campbell is reported ill at her home on Berlin street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Devine, 1202 Berlin street, are the proud parents of a baby girl which arrived Thursday.

Mrs. F. J. Taylor, 302 Sumner street, is at the St. Francis hospital confined with a severe attack of brain fever.

OSBORNE GOES TO RIVER MEETING

R. E. Osborne, chosen governor of the state of Wisconsin the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association convention at St. Louis Nov. 16 and 17, to succeed Senator Robert M. La Follette, left at noon for Washington, to attend the national rivers and harbors convention Wednesday and Thursday. At the time of the election of Mr. Osborne to the high honorary office, it was agreed that he should attend the national convention.

Congressman John J. Esch also will attend the meeting, being at Washington, attending to his congressional duties as representative now.

It has been computed that there are \$2,000,000,000 in gold and jewels at the bottom of the sea on the route between England and India.

Art Goods and Wall Paper Sale

We are nicely located in our new quarters at 221 Main Street and in placing our goods we find we have an immense stock of Art Goods, Pictures and Frames, including a good line of the Golden Manufacturing Company's 24 karat gold plated Mirrors and Cabinet Frames which will make suitable and useful Christmas gifts. Our line of Framed Pictures is the most complete and our prices are the lowest. **ARTISTIC PICTURE FRAMING** done on short notice. Bring in your subjects.

Wall Paper

Our prices are the lowest. In order to make room for new stock we will give a discount of 25% on all goods sold before January 1st.

A. & C. JOHNSON,

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NICHOLS MOVE LUMBER OFFICE TO PORTLAND

Head offices of the C. H. Nichols Lumber company, Onalaska, are to be transferred from La Crosse to Seattle, Wash. The offices in the Batavian bank building will be closed next Friday and opened in Seattle on Dec. 11. Secretary W. W. Schall will leave La Crosse Friday.

The company was organized at Onalaska in 1852 and has been in business continuously since that time. The local storage yards will be continued. Several mills are operated by the company on the Pacific coast.

JAILED FOR VAGRANCY

Caroline Spettel pleaded guilty to a charge of vagrancy, preferred by the police, and was sentenced to the county jail for fifteen days by Judge Brindley late Saturday afternoon. The police charged the woman with being a "street walker." Two female companions were ordered to leave the city.

The average age of the ministers in the new British cabinet is 56½ years. Six are in the forties, seven in the fifties, four in the sixties and two in the seventies.

AUCTION! AUCTION! AUCTION!**\$15,000.00 Stock of China, Crockery, Glassware and Art Goods****THE BIGGEST AUCTION SALE EVER HELD IN LA CROSSE.**

I will close out my entire stock of Crockery, Glassware and Art Goods at Public Auction.

Sale Every Day at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. and 7:30 P. M.and will continue each day until the entire stock is sold. My stock comprises the largest and most complete line of Crocker, Glassware and Art Goods in the city, and will be **Sold Without Any Reservation** whatever. The cost will cut no figure in this sale. All of our elegant**HAVELAND CHINA SETS AND PIECES ARE GOING AT THIS SALE**

The chance of our life to buy the finest Dishes at your own price. Chairs will be provided for all ladies attending this Sale.

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FAMOUS "HOME TALENT AT SAENGERFEST"

The plan of the German societies having in charge the management of the saengerfest is to employ "home talent" almost exclusively in the feature work of the great meeting.

The financing of a saengerfest involves much labor and a great deal of money. It is a big undertaking for La Crosse. Its success means much to La Crosse. That success may be experienced as much thought must be devoted to husbanding the resources as in subscribing support, for the final net expenditure is dependent upon revenue less outlay. Revenue is partly a matter of luck, the weather conditions being vital; the outlay may be regulated by "horse sense."

Hitherto it has been the custom of cities entertaining the singing societies to plunge into great expense in the matter of securing "star" soloists and artists of renown. These celebrities are apt to be good, but not so good as the outlay of money would seem to suggest. There is a possibility of paying more for fame than for talent. Apparently good judgment in these matters can be made to net a saving of several thousands of dollars to the contributors.

And La Crosse, drawing upon the artists to which it points with pride as its very own, will not be embarrassed before the greatest musical convention in the history of the city, for the talent it has to offer. For the managers announce that:

Miss Anna Hickish is coming home.

Miss Fanny Losey will contribute her services.

Miss Hickish will be an attraction whose appreciation abroad guarantees her better appreciation in La Crosse. Here we know of her through the papers as a great soprano whose talents have attracted the attention of royalty and whose splendid attainments have been applauded by the most discriminating critics in the strongholds of music. If, in her kindly remembrance of La Crosse, she finds one-half the pleasure in appearing here that the people of this city will experience in enjoying her presence, she will be well compensated for her efforts.

Miss Losey is not a professional performer and delicacy suggests that her equally notable talents be left to the appreciation of the community which has seized every opportunity to pay to her the tribute of appreciation and applause which intelligence instinctively renders to genius.

And so, in deciding to ask the assistance of "home talent," the management of the saengerfest is offering patrons of the musical festival rare advantages, and at the same time through the generosity of genius conserving its resources in a way that will certainly be appreciated by those upon whom the financial burdens fall. We believe that at the outset a wise step has been taken that forecasts an eminently satisfactory outcome.

THEIR RIOT A SYMPTOM

The tobacco factory raid of Princeton, Ky., was typical of that state. Its people are indeed "fire-eaters," and among them passion is wont to master intelligence. Sympathy with them in their battle against the tobacco trust will not lend extenuation to their act. That theirs is a state of lynching and feudism explains somewhat the humor of the mounted mob. However, Trustdom would do well to sit up and take notice. Were all our states Kentuckys a more radical manner of eliminating trust evils would become general. The popular sentiment behind this lawless act is the same that in cooler climates is inspiring more sane methods of curtailing monopoly. However, a fire started in dry rushes has been known to burn green forests. The maintenance of law and order is essential to the preservation of free government, but equally essential are the enactment and enforcement of and submission to laws that govern all alike. The Kentucky raid is the symptom of the civic disease we are trying to cure. Immunity baths will not heal it. No quarantine will confine it. It is organic and will yield only to constitutional treatment. The government of Trustdom should put on its bib and take its medicine.

AND SO WE PRINT IT

"Dear Tribune—I don't think you have printed this one as yet." That was what Louis Seaman, formerly manager of the North American Telegraph company in this city and now manager of the Postal at Wichita, Kas., wrote us, inclosing the following clipping:

"Ten years ago a farmer put his initials on a dollar, went to town and spent it with a merchant. Before the year was out he got the dollar back. Four times in six years the dollar came back to him for produce and three times he heard of it in the pockets of his neighbors.

"The last time he got it four years ago, he sent it to a mail order house. He has never seen that dollar since and never will. That dollar will never pay any more school or road tax for him, will never build

up shops or brighten the homes of the community. He sent it entirely out of the circle of usefulness to himself."

Organized labor has no worse enemy than the "boss" who grafts unions. The exposure of Shea in the courts of Chicago is a damaging blow to unions for which they are not in the least responsible. It behooves unions to be more careful in the selection of officers, so that dishonest methods may not be permitted to jeopardize the interests of honest organization. To inaugurate a great strike for the money a few rascals may make out of it through blackmail and bribery, is a crime that should be resented by unionism and punished under the law. Strikes mean hardship to all concerned. They should not be resorted to excepting upon ample justification and after all other methods of settlement have failed. That is the tendency of the modern union, and when it is deviated from it is usually the case that some rascal is filling his pocketbook as a consequence. Fortunately in most lines union men are qualified by education and intelligence to ward off these frauds. Only in the ignorance and filth of a great city is there danger of folly of this sort.

Again the board of trade is confronted by the perennial problem how to hold a \$5-a-plate banquet for 25 cents. The board of trade is presumed to be everybody's organization and in the elimination of the silk stocking and broadcloth features it might find concord and prosperity. We suggest that the banquet this year be called a "Skiddoo Dinner," and that it be served at 23 cents the plate. To enhance the revenues a fine of 23 cents might be levied against every guest appearing in a dress suit, mentioning champagne or being conveyed to the banquet hall in an automobile. That is a distinctly plebian idea, but it would at least breed on comprehensive lines a delightful fellowship in "this splendid aggregation of capital and intelligence."

In adequately aspersing the conduct of his printers' devil a Texas editor broke his jaw. It is customary in episodes of this sort for the editor to emerge with a broken foot.

Another Russo-Japanese war is predicted. In that case we may live to see St. Petersburg a suburb of Tokio.

AT THE THEATERS

The Frank E. Long Stock company one of the oldest and best known repertoire companies on the road, will open a six nights' engagement at the La Crosse theater commencing tonight. The company is headed by Mr. Frank E. Long and Miss Nana Sullivan, supported by a company of metropolitan players. During the engagement all new plays will be presented with all special scenery for each production. Aside from the acting company a number of high class vaudeville people are with the show and introduce their specialties between the acts, giving a continuous performance making one of the best popular priced attractions touring the middle west.

One of the most pleasing features in "The Girl and the Governor," S. M. Brenner and Julian Edwards' sparkling new comic opera, in which jovial Jefferson De Angelis and a company of 80 performers will appear at the La Crosse theater Dec. 6, is the Spanish dances. The services of 60 of the most beautiful and symmetrical young women now on the operatic stage are necessitated for these terpsichorean performances, and to insure accuracy of measure and form, Mr. De Angelis secured this fall when the company was organized three famous Spanish dancing masters. They were "imported" from Madrid and Seville. Every day the dancing masters and their sylph-like pupils rehearse, so that seldom has so graceful and uniform dancing been seen on the stage.

Plays and Players

Ralph Stuart is to play the leading role in "The Spoilers," under the management of Daniel Frohman. The name of Paul Wistach's play, in which Charles Cartwright is to star under the management of the Shuberts, has been changed from "Keegan's Pal" to "The Eastman Case."



JEFFERSON DE ANGELIS.
In "The Girl and the Governor."

JUST LIFE



Rehashed Proverbs

All comes to him who has more than he wants already.

The man who finds fault with others generally has reason.

There's nothing so faithful as a collector.

A word to the wise is obnoxious.

You would be miserable brood upon yourself.

A bird in the hand is worth two in the hands of the prosecuting attorney out of season.

A stitch in time saves embarrassment.

Honesty is no longer the best policy, when you are talking to an insurance agent.

As to the World

Laugh and the world thinks you're foolish.

Weep and they think the same.

One's lucky, we think, with a face like a chink.

For they're always a blank in the game.

Them Fresh Young Swindlers

Cashton entertainment lovers were again hornsawgled out of their hard earned money by a fresh bunch of fellows with a magic lantern and a tin pan photograph in the opera house Monday evening. These cheap shows go about the country and usually charge 10 cents admission, but this one had the unlimited gall to tax the people 25 cents for their dinky little entertainment. Everything was on the trashy order and not worth going across the street to see. We certainly get it in the neck every little while. —Cashton news, Norwalk Star.

Royal Gossip

MADRID, Dec. 1.—The Gazette will announce at the close of this month that an heir to the Spanish throne may be expected in a few months.

As to Revivals

When a deadbeat gets religion at a revival, every church member he owes is down to work early next morning in order to be the first to send him a bill.

The Free Press complains because Tillman has La Follette's style of oratory.

The Wages of Sin Is \$15,000

A Fond du Lac man who has more money than brains must pay one Mary Salchert \$15,000 for breach of promise and stand trial, with her, on a statutory offense.

The Standard Oil company is beginning to squeal, as Tom Lawson promised. It waits that it does not want to be dissolved, as that would hurt its business. Goodness!

Claiming 4-cent fares are too expensive the Milwaukee city attorney demands 2-cent fare on the street railway line and has appealed to the rate commission. Now, Paul, here's your chance to get popular.

Senator Tillman showed his color when he refused to be bluffed by northern "niggers."

Seems Chester Gillette might have said he tried to rescue Grace Brown, but could not, if he is really guilty and is trying to lie out of it.

Shea seems likely to go to jail, since three officers of the Chicago teamsters' union refused to lie longer.

Mail Order Advertisement
News item.—Sears-Roebuck will have to discontinue their grocery department on account of the enforcement of the pure food laws.

Then Everybody Rushed Home
Tuesday afternoon the fire alarm was sounded and the people rushed to the scene of the blaze. It was on the roof of Borgenson's restaurant, and after the application of a few buckets of water the fire was extinguished. —Cashton news, Norwalk Star.

—W. V. K.

Some men seem to think they can purchase a mansion in the skies on the installment plan so they drop a penny into the contribution plate every Sunday.

Almost any bigamist can get off on the plea of insanity.

IN THE CELLAR

There is no spot in the home where an electric light is more essential than in the cellar.

Arranged with a switch at the top of the stairs, it is invaluable.

It saves accidents. It makes the care of the furnace at night easy.

It is a comfort and an economy.

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In selecting your Furs you will find it a great advantage to buy them from us, because we manufacture every garment we sell, and use great care in selecting the Pelts. You know if everything is not as represented by us, we always stand ready to make good. :: :: ::

Men's Fur Lined Coats \$50 and upwards

It's time you realized that now is the time to select that Fur or Fur Coat. We carry a very large line of both.

River Mink Neck Pieces at.....\$1.50, 2.75, 3.75 and 5.50
Rare Natural Mink Pieces at \$10, \$15, \$20, \$22.50 and up
Fox Single and Double Boa. \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15 up
Sable Squirrel Pieces at...\$6, \$8.50, \$10, \$15, \$20 and up

Full Stock of Persian Paw, Natural Squirrel, Beaver, Otter, Krimmer, Persian Lamb, Lynx, Iceland Fox and Beaver.

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The last two Krimmer Coats.....\$35.00 Cash, worth \$60.00

GREAT REDUCTION ON ALL SMALL NECKWEAR.

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Style and Comfort.

How many rooms there are, correct and beautiful, which fail of being lovely! Everything is perfect. Some "period" has been carried out faithfully by a professional interior decorator of big reputation, with the result that the room has style and distinction, is coldly, correctly exquisite or magnificent, and yet no one would voluntarily choose that room to live in. No one would deliberately elect to spend a delightful afternoon in it with a novel.

No one would dream of repairing to it for the purpose of being unmitigatedly lazy. The fact is art and comfort are not synonymous terms by any means. Many an artistic room is uninteresting, cold and characterless because it bears no stamp of personality, yet correct style and comfort can and ought to go hand in hand.

The Sleeve Pattern.

Before altering a sleeve pattern the arm should be measured from the arm scye to the bend and thence to the wrist; also from the back of the arm to the point of the elbow and thence to the wrist. Then measure the pattern and make the alterations. If the sleeve is too long between the top of the arm and the elbow place a tuck through the pattern. If it should be too long between the elbow and the wrist place a tuck there also, making the sleeve the required length.

Old Lace Curtains.

A clever device for utilizing the beauty that remains in fine lace curtains that have seen their day is to cut out the rich raised work rings and wreaths from which the delicate net has worn away. Apply them to squares of velvet or satin for use as cushion covers. Applied on olive or metallic green velvet or some soft wood brown shade the effect is rich and elegant, especially when further set off with a frill of lace and the back of the pillow made of silk or corresponding tone.

**Car Ripe Bananas,
Apples, Cranberries,
Cider, Oysters
and
Celery.**

**JOHN C. BURNS
Fruit House**

LA CROSSE BOY HURT IN MEXICO

Roy Peterson's Shoulder is Crushed by Rock from Blast in Capital City

Just before he was to start home to spend his Christmas holiday with his parents in this city, who reside on Market street, Roy Peterson, well known ball player of this city, was seriously injured near Necaxa, Mexico, where he has been working.

The Mexican Herald of Nov. 17th, published in the City of Mexico, says regarding the accident:

"About noon yesterday, while going from his work to lunch, Roy Peterson, an engineer employed by the Mexican Light & Power company, Ltd., in laying water pipes in a tunnel near Necaxa, was severely injured by being hit with a large rock thrown from a blast at one of the dams, which he was passing at the time. His shoulder was crushed and his arm broken by the missile.

"Although the company keeps a surgeon at the camp, it was decided by the officials to have the man brought to this city for treatment, and a special train, consisting of a fast class

passenger coach and an engine, was made up and sent over the National railway from Beristain. The injured man was made as comfortable as possible in the coach and when the train reached the city late last evening he was conveyed to the American hospital. While his injury is severe, it is hoped that with good surgical treatment and care he will come through the ordeal all right. Mr. Peterson is a valued employee of the company, having been engaged with it for about three years. He is very popular, especially with his fellow employees at Necaxa.

"The tunnel in which he was engaged in superintending the laying of the pipes is at the bottom of a ravine, and a trail leads from it to the top of the hill, where the dam is located. It appears that he did not know that blasting was in progress until it was too late to avoid the danger. If he had been a few seconds earlier or later, he would probably have escaped."

INDOOR BASE BALL IT'S UP TO YOU

The indoor baseball season will be opened by the La Crosse Athletics on Dec. 14, 15 and 16 with the Chatfield and St. Charles teams.

The Athletics will elect officers on Wednesday evening.

SKAAR PRESIDES AT SCANDINAVIAN BANQUET

Members of the Normanna Saengerkor banqueted at Frohsmann hall Saturday night, the expenses of the feast being defrayed by the profits made from the saengerfest held in La Crosse last July.

Attorney Olaf R. Skaar, one of the leaders of the saengerfest, presided at the dinner board, several post-prandial speeches being made. Appreciation was expressed by several of the speakers for the assistance given by the people of the city in patronage and financial assistance.

TOO YOUNG FOR ARMY, BOY LUGS MUSKET BACK HOME

After being refused admission to the army, G. Medamanson, 16 years old, residing on his father's farm near New Amsterdam, Wis., tramped back home, foot-sore and tired, with a heavy musket on his shoulder. The youth was too young to be admitted to the regulars, although a large boy for his age.

Medamanson left home without notifying his parents and a search was instituted for him. The searchers found him returning home.

Makes Red Blood

Grape-Nuts

require no cooking.

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pinks.

"There's a Reason"

DIES OF TYPHOID

John B. Webber, a brother of Detective J. B. Webber of the La Crosse police department, and also of Adam Webber, died Saturday at Bangor, Wis., at the age of 57 years after an illness of two weeks of typhoid fever. Mr. Webber was postmaster of the village for fifteen years. A widow and one son survive. The funeral was held here this morning.

Friends Attend Funeral

A number of relatives and friends from the North side left yesterday for Sparta where they will attend the funeral services of the late John Baptist Webber.

The funeral services took place at Sparta and the remains were shipped to La Crosse where they were interred beside the body of his sister in Oak Grove.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends, neighbors and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter and sister, Hazel, and also for the floral tributes. Especially do we thank Bishop Sagen, Rev. Magelsson and the choir.

MR. AND MRS. CHRIS F. HANSON AND FAMILY.

Some people's idea of charity is to give

CITY NEWS

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

A. M. Goldish has left on a trip to Chicago and St. Louis on business.

Fine electric fixtures. A. O. Colby. Charles Boley is spending a few days in Chicago.

Three aspirants have announced themselves to succeed Russell Smith, clerk of the courts-elect, to the office of clerk of the town of Bangor. August Brand, Morg Evans and S. B. Wheldon are after the position.

Have your automobile painted at Gateway City Carriage works.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bedessem are home from a few days' visit at Bangor with friends.

First class painting and repairing at Gateway City Carriage company.

H. J. Masters, R. B. Graves and Thomas Coles, Sparta, Wis., transacted legal business here Saturday.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a chicken pie supper at the Masonic temple, Tuesday, Dec. 4.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Frank Robbins has returned from New Mexico, where he has spent several months.

Wiring. The Heavy Light Man.

A nine-pound son has been born to Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawrence, 611 Ferry street.

If you want your auto or carriage painted in first class style take it to Jeff Gibbons at the Gateway City Carriage company.

Bring your ladies to Blume's for hot drinks, ice cream and confections, four doors south of Bijou.

The German Art club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Bauer, 427 Vine street.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, regulates the bowels, aids the kidneys, cures stomach troubles, builds up the nervous force and repairs the ill effects of over eating.

Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

The La Crosse weather bureau has been obliged to move its water gauge at Kilbourn by the transfer of the old mill at that place.

It is the best safeguard against indigestion, biliousness and dyspepsia, known to mankind. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

My heart and hand another claimed. His plea had come too late.

It's ever thus with people without pluck and vim.

Take Rocky Mountain Tea, don't get left again. Ask your druggist.

Repairs to the switch at Third and Main streets have been finished by a crew of the La Crosse City Railway company.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

John Hess, Arcadia, Wis., arrived Saturday evening and was taken to St. Francis hospital where he was operated upon for appendicitis.

A Western Wonder

There's a Hill at Bowie, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180.

He says: "I suffered with a terrible cough, and doctors gave me up to die of Consumption. I was reduced to 90 pounds, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled in weight and am completely cured."

Only sure Cough and Cold cure. Guaranteed by O. T. Ehrhart, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Notice by Committee of County Board to Meet to Decide Upon Petition to Lay Out Highway.

State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County—ss.

Petition having been duly made to the County Board of Supervisors, of said county, on the 16th day of November, 1906, at the annual meeting of said board, by more than thirty resident free-holders of said county, more than fifteen of whom reside in the town of Campbell and the remainder in other towns, cities and villages of said county for a highway to be laid out and altered from the route where the same now lies and extending through the town of Campbell from the north boundary of the city of La Crosse to the south boundary of the city of Onalaska, along the lines more particularly, hereinafter, described.

And the undersigned Road and Bridge committee, members of said County Board, having been duly appointed a committee, with full power to act in the premises, notice is therefore given that we, the said committee of said County Board, will meet at the city hall in the city of Onalaska, in said county, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday, December 24th, to decide upon such petition.

The highway, petitioned to be laid out, as aforesaid, by the undersigned committee, shall be in place of the present public highway, which now extends from the north extremity of George street, in the city of La Crosse northerly through the town of Campbell over and across the east half of sections seventeen and eight, township sixteen, range seven west, and connecting with the southern extremity of the public street running past the Pickle works, to the south boundary of the city of Onalaska. The new proposed highway shall run in a straight line from the north extremity of George street, in the city of La Crosse, to the south boundary of the city of Onalaska to the point where the present highway now enters the city of Onalaska, at its southern boundary.

Dated November 28th, 1906.

ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE:

John Hatz, Abel N. Moore, George H. Dodge, John Storandt, John Clements.

GOOD CHRISTIANS

(Continued from Page One.)

mer is glad when his revival season comes; the merchant longs for a revival in trade; we speak of a revival in patriotism, of politics, and learning, and yet seemingly forgetful that the very law of progress is growth by impulse we find people prejudiced against a revival of religion, and many who have claimed the grace of God for themselves holding aloof from any special effort to extend it to others or to increase it in the heart of the church.

"The Bible is the story of revival. The church was born in a revival, and every denomination in the church has been the result of one. As a student of revivals for many years and as the result of closest observation I find the number of those who have forsaken their profession to be far less proportionately among those who have come into the church through revival influences than those who have joined the church at times when such influence was not brought to bear upon them.

"My brother, we need to have our eyes open to these things. The devil is always glad for a revival in his business, and here we sit as guardians of the cause for which the Son of God lifted those hands of faith and love upon the cross, going wild about other things, yet telling people to guard themselves against undue enthusiasm in religion; content to sit at ease in Zion with scarcely grace enough to save ourselves, while the damning current of sin sweeps on, and what I pray today is that we may come each and everyone of us into sympathy with the thought of God for His church, and then give ourselves to Him to realize it in the earth.

"In the first place we need above everything else to get right with God ourselves. What is it in your life that other people see that is wrong and stumble over? There is that unpaid debt that is past due and you have ignored it. The shame and disgrace of it is not that you have not been able to pay it, but the pity of it is that you have done the mean and contemptible thing and have not had the honor to go to your creditor and tell him you mean to pay and will as soon as you can. And it might be a good plan to leave a dollar with him as a sort of token that your intentions are good. And then, you sister, don't speak to some one possibly in your own church. Something has gone wrong and you think it's all her fault and possibly they think a little bit of it is yours, and you don't speak. And yet you call yourself a Christian!

"The trouble with the church is that there is too little difference between its life and the life of the world. People are asking why it is we can't get the world to come and join the church, and one of the reasons is that the church has gone too far and joined the world.

"The second great need is a recognition of our absolute dependence upon God. Few of us these days know what it means to wrestle with God in prayer. If your minister is not successful it is because he has no praying congregation behind him. You put him in an ice box and then blame him for not sweating.

"In the third place this understanding involves a call to service. It is time to ask, 'Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?' Too many of us want to live in the twenty-third psalm where it says, 'Lord, make me lie down,' when all the time the Lord is saying, 'Get up and go to work.' Get down and pray and get up to work will bring a revival any time if we are right with God. A great many people put enough emphasis on the 'one' of religion but not enough on the 'why.' They say, 'my salvation is a finished work. Jesus has done it all.' Well then, what did Paul mean by saying, 'Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling?' It is a finished work. It is a religion of 'done' before you get into it, but it is a religion of 'do' after you get into it, if it's religion at all. You might as well sing 'Jesus paid it all' and skip your board bill, as well as to say Jesus has done it all and expect to sit and sing yourself away to everlasting bliss. God's work needs the human touch and in the divine economy there is a place for your service and mine which the very nature of God's redemption plan demands that you and I shall fill and the great question with the Almighty in the on-swinging betterment of this world is how to get along without us."

TO UNITE Y. W. C. A.

(Tribune Special Service.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—At a meeting to be held in this city at an early date a plan will be consummated for uniting under one national organization all the Young Women's Christian associations in the United States. Heretofore there have been two national organizations. The older of these is known as the International Board of Women's and Young Women's Christian associations, and it has a record of about fifteen years.

The new organization will be called the Young Women's Christian associations of the United States of America, and its elected executive body will be called the National Board. Associations that have been allied with either of the two older national organizations will be allowed to enter the new one as charter members.

SPECIAL ON OPERA GLASSES

This week we are offering Special inducements to Christmas Buyers.

Same style as cut, but without handles, \$5.00 at.....

IRVINE'S

Opera Glasses like cut, fine pearl bodies, aromatic lenses and extension handles. Regular Price \$12.00.

Special \$9.00

HURRY TO SEE OUR HATS

WHY try and pick out a hat from the shelf to fit you, when we make one to your order to fit you. We guarantee to satisfy you if you give us a trial. We never loose a customer—isn't that a fine indorsement?



THE LA CROSSE HAT

"GOOD AS GOLD"

OUR FOUR GUARANTEES:

Perfect Fit,
Best Materials,
Latest Styles,
Lowest Prices.

The retail store must keep its hats in stock. Hence they cannot be kept up to latest styles. You don't suppose the retailer throws away his hats unsold from other seasons, do you? No he sells them to you—if you will buy. Perhaps you are wearing one now. Isn't better to have your hats made to order, so you are sure of correct styles?

OUR RE-BLOCKING AND RENOVATING DEPT.

DON'T THROW THAT HAT AWAY! It cost you \$2.50 or \$3, or \$4, or maybe \$5.00. It is soiled and out of style, but the material is as good as new. We will make it over in up-to-date style for from 75 cents to \$1.25, and it will absolutely be A NEW HAT. You can't make money any faster than by getting a new \$4 or \$5 Hat for from 75 cents to \$1.25. One trial will convince you.

THE LA CROSSE HAT WORKS

WE TRY TO MAKE OUR CANDY PACKAGES LOOK LIKE WEDDING PRESENTS.

**SANTRIZOS & HADREAS
"THE ROYAL,"
FIFTH AND MAIN STREETS**

To it belongs many of the associations in the larger cities. The other organization is the American committee, allied to the World's Young Women's Christian association. Its headquarters are located in Chicago and its activities have been confined chiefly to the student centers for young women.

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The best man generally wins, except at a wedding.

Tribune great contest closes Saturday, Dec. 8th, at 10 o'clock.

When we run across two men arguing religion, we run away as fast as we can.

Every Sunday women say: "I do hope tomorrow will be a good wash-day."

Have you voted for your favorite contestant in the Tribune Popularity Contest.

Vote today in the Tribune Contest.

Recent regulations in Turkey aim to abolish completely the sale within the empire of foreign lottery tickets. Any receiver, seller, buyer or holder of a foreign lottery ticket is now liable to prosecution, incurring a fine of \$4.40 to \$13.20 for the first offense and \$13.20 to \$44 for a second conviction.

LOST—Between 115 North Seventh and Dunham's store, black fur boa. Return to Tribune office for reward.

WANTED—Cook at 121 South Thirtieth street.

MISS AMELIA BRINKMAN LEADS THIRD DISTRICT

**Tribune Contest Grows Short, But
Interest Grows as Time Flies;
Only Seven More Days**

Just seven days before the Great Tribune Contest will be at an end. The single vote coupon which has appeared in the Daily Tribune since the beginning of the contest will not appear again. This is done so the judges who will be selected by the contestants can announce the winners as soon as possible after the contest closes Saturday evening at 10 o'clock. Saturday evening the count resulted in Miss Amelia Brinkman of the third district taking the lead away from Miss Klea Bullock.

In District No. 5 Miss Nellie Kelly of Hokah takes first place from Miss Mary Koel of Caledonia.

The contest is firmly on its feet and is no more a frail venture but a successful reality in every sense of the word, and every one in La Crosse and the surrounding country is taking a decided interest in it, and they are waiting for and watching the out-

VALUE OF VOTES UNTIL CLOSE OF CONTEST		
By Carrier.	New Sub's	Old Sub's
Subscription to Tribune one month...	80 votes	40 votes
Subscription to Tribune three months...	300 votes	150 votes
Subscription to Tribune six months...	1,000 votes	500 votes
Subscription to Tribune one year...	2,500 votes	1,250 votes
Subscription to Tribune two years...	7,500 votes	3,750 votes
Subscription to Tribune three years...	12,000 votes	6,000 votes
Subscription to Tribune five years...	25,000 votes	12,500 votes
Subscription to Tribune ten years...	37,500 votes	18,750 votes
By Mail.	New Sub's	Old Sub's
Subscription to Tribune six months...	500 votes	250 votes
Subscription to Tribune one year...	1,200 votes	600 votes
Subscription to Tribune two years...	3,000 votes	1,500 votes
Subscription to Tribune three years...	5,000 votes	2,500 votes
Subscription to Tribune five years...	10,000 votes	5,000 votes
Subscription to Tribune ten years...	25,000 votes	12,500 votes

Second Period

VALUE OF SPECIAL BALLOTS FROM MONDAY, NOV. 26 UNTIL SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 9 P. M.

By Carrier.	New Subs.	Old Subs.
Subscription to Tribune one month...	160 votes	80 votes
Subscription to Tribune three months...	600 votes	300 votes
Subscription to Tribune six months...	2,000 votes	1,000 votes
Subscription to Tribune one year...	5,000 votes	2,500 votes
Subscription to Tribune two years...	15,000 votes	7,500 votes
By Mail.	New Subs.	Old Subs.
Subscription to Tribune six months...	1,000 votes	500 votes
Subscription to Tribune one year...	2,400 votes	1,200 votes
Subscription to Tribune two years...	6,000 votes	3,000 votes
Subscription to Tribune three years...	10,000 votes	5,000 votes
Subscription to Tribune five years...	20,000 votes	10,000 votes

Third Period

VALUE OF SPECIAL BALLOTS FROM MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, UNTIL CLOSE OF CONTEST, ONE-HALF OF ABOVE SCALE.

Bond & Lilliard

I sell this celebrated 12-year old Sour Mash aged in the wood, over my bar. I own a large quantity of it, and as an accommodation to my patrons I have arranged to have it placed on sale at the following places:

ED. FORSETH, (The Wayside Inn) 901 Rose St.

JOHN SKOGEN, Onalaska.

ED. G. WIMMER, Cor. 6th and Market St.

When down town remember that

THE MECCA

111 N. Fourth St. is headquarters for the famous Bond & Lilliard. A. GILBERTON.

A ONE DOLLAR BOTTLE FOR 35 CENTS
CASKA The Great Blood and Nerve Tonic
HOESCHLER & BROS., TWO STORES.

W. B. CORSETS
Best Without Costing Most

ALL DEALERS SELL THEM AT \$1.00 UPWARDS
WEINGARTEN BROS., Makers, 377-379 Broadway, N. Y.

THE ELLIOTT-LOEFFLER COMPANY.
Wholesale **WINES & LIQUORS**
222-224 PEARL STREET.

FIRST SIGNS ARE IN THE BACK

Take care of backache. A great many cases of kidney complaint are reported about here, also bladder trouble and rheumatism.

A local physician stated that pain in the back, loins or region of the kidneys is the danger signal nature hangs out to notify the sufferer that there is something wrong with the kidneys, which should receive immediate attention. Only vegetable treatment should be administered and absolutely no alcoholic patent medicines, which are harmful to the kidneys and bladder.

The following prescription, while simple, harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained at any good prescription pharmacy and any one can mix them: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bed-time.

This preparation will restore the natural functions of the kidneys, so they will sift and strain the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, purifying it and relieving rheumatism. Backache will be relieved, the urine will be neutralized and cleared and no longer a cause of irritation, thereby overcoming such symptoms as weak bladder, painful, frequent and other urinary difficulties.



Is what our NEBUER GINGER ALE and other bottled Beverages prove every time. If you know a good thing when you see it you will not hesitate about placing your orders with us for our NEBUER GINGER ALE.

NORTH SIDE BOTTLING WKS
901-903 Rose Street.

Third St. House

A. J. Niggli, Prop.
Cor. Third and Cameron

Good Board \$3.00

21 Meals \$3.00

FIRST CLASS BAR
Barn in Connection



All Kinds of
INSURANCE
Especially
FIRE, LIABILITY,
PLATE GLASS, ACCI-
DENT, BOND AND
LIFE INSURANCE.

C. S. VAN AUKEN,
328 Pearl St.
La Crosse, Wis.
Old Phone 75. New Phone 3

FASHION PARAGRAPHS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The sloping shoulders seem to be slowly growing into favor again. Whether its progress will be arrested by other styles that creep in during its advance in popularity has yet to be seen.

Just now many of the dressiest gowns have a puff at the top of the short sleeves and the more elaborate the gown and pronounced its style the higher up the puff is placed. A dressmaker who has a conservative clientele of folk who wear a gown through a season, said yesterday that this high puff is one of the most trying fashions to persons with long arms, as it accentuates the length between the upper arm and the wrist. Moreover, believing it to be a fleeting mode she advises women who expect to wear until spring gowns made now to adopt the more moderate shapes, which bring the puff to the elbow.

The sloping shoulders are in evidence in separate winter wraps of all classes and in tailor made suits. A few original models, of too evident intent to depart from routine fashions, have their sleeves plain at the top and flaring into fullness at the back of the arm toward the elbow in more than a suggestion of the hideous shapes to which we were subjected two or three years ago.

A favorite style for afternoon gown is the new three-piece idea of varying materials, but all of the same color. For example, one elegant costume of mole-gray broadcloth has been ordered, the bodice of silk and short bolero of velvet and chinchilla, with toque of fur and Irish point. Again, a three-piece costume of wine red liberty satin with bands of panne velvet has a bodice of chiffon and empire coat of panne velvet. Empire coats and those with lifted girdle and director's revers are especially happy for the new-idea costume.

The tailored lines and effects on these afternoon gowns are always marvels of the art. A number of princess and empire gowns of fine cloths, silks and velvets have been ordered overlaid with rich laces and magnificent embroideries and passementeries which form a portion of this season's lavishness. The gowns are in all the fashionable hues, cell and sapphire blue, grays, beige, yellow, rich wines to rose pinks and corals.

Some charming and elaborate petticoats for evening wear can likewise be evolved by skillful fingers at very little initial outlay, if scallop work alone is used as the method of trimming, although many women with a taste for fine needlework are carrying out in addition the most elaborate schemes in silk embroidery. In the first case, a foundation of white or cream silk should be procured, or if economy is an object, the upper half may consist of white alpaca, two silk detachable flounces—sufficiently deep—being buttoned onto this and permitting of a frequent change, flounces in pale colors to match the gown, with which they are to be worn forming a good alternative to white.

One of the most striking features of the moment in the realm of jewelry is the sudden revival of the antique as regards both the settings and the gems themselves. Old fashioned and cumbersome brooches, massive chains, heavy gold or enamel buckles, and enormous lockets of ponderous weight are nowadays as much valued by the fashionable world as was the delicate Italian filigree work which was so much in vogue a few years ago. Stones whose names had almost been forgotten and of whose existence no one excepting perhaps the stonecutters themselves were aware are once more assuming an important place in the latest schemes, and are responsible not only for letter weights, trinket boxes, and such personal matters as umbrella tops and charms, but are being turned to account as jewelry of a definite character.

At present the most popular fad of the wardrobe is the guimpe frock of one sort or another. This pretty style has held its place for several months, notwithstanding the fact that inexpensive ready-to-wears have heralded it for six months at least. The effect, if not the fact, has been seen in the costliest imported gowns this season. It is probable that few trousseaux for young brides have been turned out this season that have not had one or more simple house gowns of this class. A pretty and becoming variation of the popular style is the girdle with bretelle attachments which match the skirt. Such girdles assume all manner of phrases. They have bib fronts, no fronts at all, or fronts made up of ribbon lacings which connect the bretelles. Surplice effects which leave deep V's are also seen. For such little frocks soft wools, messaline, taffeta and crepe de chine are frequently the materials. College girls are daft over plaid, Roman striped and flowered ribbon bretelle sets to wear with various skirts and lingerie or lace blouses. Black velvet ribbon laces the bretelles often, and with these fancy ribbons and black velvet or brass buttons are a natural finish.

Cures Biliousness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Torpid Liver and Chronic Constipation. Pleasant to take

ORINO
Laxative Fruit Syrup
SOLD BY O. T. ERHART.

Cleanses the system thoroughly and clears sallow complexions of pimples and blotches. It is guaranteed

MAIL NOW SENT WITHOUT STAMPS

La Crosse business men and the citizens generally have been receiving now and then in their mail for the last few months circulars, catalogues, and other printed matter with no stamp on the wrapper or envelope. In the place where the stamp usually goes there is a little inclosed square of printed matter stating one cent, two and four cents paid. Chicago or some other city, and beneath that "permit No." 5 or 50 or some other number. That shows one of Uncle Sam's new business methods.

The commercial house sending out thousands of circulars or catalogues no longer has to stamp each of those individual pieces. It gets from the postmaster the amount of postage necessary for each piece of matter it wishes to send out, has the printer put the necessary form in type on the corner of the envelope and then, when the matter is presented at the post-office pays the postage in a lump sum, saving thereby all the labor of stamping and the possible loss resulting from the falling off of stamps.

Mail Without Stamps

The right to mail matter in this way was given by an act passed in the spring of 1901, but it is only within the last year that the privilege has been put into practice and within six months that the custom of sending matter without stamps affixed has come into general use among the large business concerns throughout the country. Each postoffice issues to the commercial house that mails matter in this way a permit with its own number and that permit is permanent and unchanging. No other firm will ever receive that particular number.

Under the law not less than 2,000 identical third or fourth class pieces of matter can be mailed in this way. Each mailing is accompanied with a statement from the business houses showing the permit number, the class of matter, the total number of pieces in the mailing and the weight of a single piece. In turn the postmaster issues to the sender a receipt showing the class of matter, the total number of pieces, the weight of a single piece and the amount of postage paid on it, the total amount paid and the number of the permit.

Keeps Check on Printer

Through this new method the business house keeps check on the number of pieces the printer turns out, saves the labor of many hands usually busy with stamping mailing matter at the time when catalogues and circulars are issued on account of the loss of stamps. In sending out a great number of circulars it is not uncommon to have as many as 1,000 return on account of the falling off of stamps and the consequent loss of \$30, \$40, \$50 or more when the matter is heavier and costs more postage.

This is the time of the year when the postoffice is flooded with advertising matter sent out by the large houses. The postoffice is daily loaded with heaps of catalogue and circular reading matter, most of which is the unstamped kind. This innovation in the mailing system not only is a saving of labor to the sender but to the postal clerk as well. It saves the cancelling of stamps. The pieces have to be counted of course, but as the sender usually has his material divided carefully in packages of 100 the task of counting is comparatively easy and simple.

GOVERNOR IS SILENT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 3.—Governor Deneen has returned from New York where he presented the claim of the state of Illinois to the Illinois Central directors.

Governor Deneen will make no statement for publication regarding the hearing before the directors. The amount demanded by the state for back taxes is also held a secret, and will not be known until a final decision is given. This is expected in about ten days. The accounting system followed by the Central was the subject of a long discussion, and when this matter is decided, either by the directors or by the courts, the amount due the state will be finally determined.

Killed Fellow Prisoner

HONOLULU, Dec. 3.—Henry Brown, a negro, was hanged for the murder of Albert Taylor, a fellow life convict in prison.

Some people are so emotional as to almost solve the problem of perpetual emotion.

Big Day For El Moro Co.

**New Jobbing House
Opens With a Rush**

**Splendid Addition to Wholesale
Interests of City is
Assured**

In the establishment of the El Moro Havana company, the first of whose goods were placed in large quantities on the market today, La Crosse gains another valuable acquisition to its jobbing interests. The plant is valuable as a step toward making La Crosse a jobbing center. Its growth in that direction is regarded as not less important than its advance as a manufacturing center.

The members of the firm compose a splendid combination which is hard to beat anywhere in this country. Fred J. Noetzel and Frank M. Wilcox, two of the members of the firm, who will have charge of the outside and sales end of the business, have a record of being among the most successful salesmen ever carrying sample cases in this territory. Genial Frank Jack Ablett, one of the most popular young men of this city, the third member of the firm, acts in the capacity of manager and also looks after the city business. The goods handled by this firm exclusively is the line furnished by Cigar Broker P. C. Wiggenshorn who, with his valuable experience in this line of business has succeeded in securing the very best factories in the United States including Tampa and Key West to manufacture the brands EL MORO, TRADE FACTOR and JUDGE QUALITY, which are destined to become classed among the most famous brands which are now in the limelight. The success of this new wholesale house seems assured from the start, evidenced by the fact that in thirty days' effort they have disposed of 28,000 Judge Quality 5-cent cigars, which is the first brand thus far received by them.

More of this class of wholesale jobbing houses will help to put La Crosse on the map.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK SHOW

(Special Tribune Service.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 3.—The seventh annual exhibition of the International Live Stock show opened here, in the mammoth amphitheater and other buildings constructed for the purpose at the Union stockyards. In the number of entries the show this year is larger than in any previous year and the international character of the exhibition is also more pronounced. Breeders from all parts of the country, and many from Canada and from England, France, Belgium and other countries of Europe are represented. King Edward has sent to the show seven English Shire horses—the most powerful and heavy of this type in the royal stables.

During the week of the exhibition there will be held the annual conventions of a large number of pure bred live stock associations, which will greatly add to the number of visitors at the big show. As in previous years the judging of the merits of live stock by the students of the various agricultural colleges in the west is to be a prominent feature of the show, and the rivalry among the different institutions is keen.

HEBREWS HONOR JOHN HAY

(Tribune Special Service.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 3.—Hebrews of Philadelphia and of the country at large yesterday paid a notable tribute to the memory of Secretary John Hay, whose friendship for the race and his repeated official and private efforts in its behalf are well known. The tribute took the form of a memorial window, which was unveiled in then ew synagogue of the Congregation of Kenesseth-Israel, the largest Hebrew congregation in the United States. The action in placing a memorial in a Hebrew synagogue to the memory of a non-Hebrew is said to be without precedent. Secretary Root, as Mr. Hay's successor in office, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the unveiling. Oscar Straus, who is to be secretary of commerce and labor, is to be another of the speakers.

M. O. ALL RIGHT IN HOLYOKE

(Special Tribune Service.)

HOLYOKE, Mass., Dec. 3.—A reduction in the price of gas to \$1 per thousand feet went into effect in Holyoke today. The city of Holyoke has been in control of the gas and electric lighting facilities of the municipality for four years and the present reduction in the price of gas makes a gross decrease of forty cents, and a net decrease of thirty-five cents, since the department was established.

A woman seems to think it's a reflection on her honor to say that her husband doesn't like to go to church, especially when she knows he doesn't.

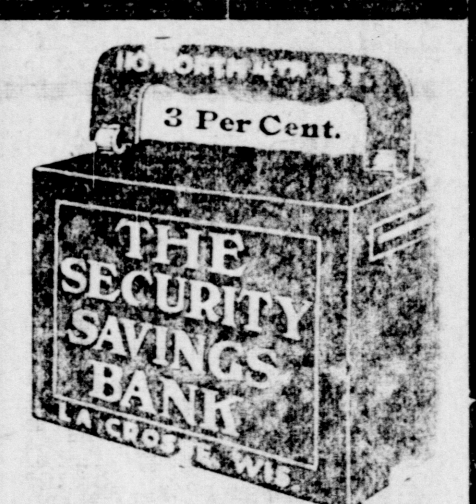
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Scientific American.
A handsome illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$3 a year; four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers.
MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York
Branch Office, 625 F St., Washington, D. C.

New Cure for Epilepsy.
J. B. Waterman, of Watertown, O., Rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleanser and life giving tonic pills on earth. 25c at O. T. Erhart's drug store.

GUARANTEED BY O. T. ERHART
Mi-o-na the Only Stomach Remedy
He Sells in This Way.

The guarantee given by O. T. Erhart on Mi-o-na stomach tablets means something.

It is his personal promise that he will refund the money in case Mi-o-na does not do all that is claimed for it in curing indigestion, strengthening the whole digestive system and restoring the health of those who use it.

If the head aches, if the back and side are painful, if there is distress, nausea after eating, if you are sleepless, nervous, and out of sorts, you can with perfect confidence get a 50-cent box of Mi-o-na from O. T. Erhart, knowing that the remedy will cost you absolutely nothing unless it gives you freedom from all ills and pains and restores you to health.

No one thing is the cause of more suffering and pain than indigestion. Many cases of so-called kidney disease, heart trouble and nervousness are only different ways in which a weakened digestive system shows itself.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets and your ill-health will soon be gone, and you will forget that you have ever had indigestion or its resulting ills.

O. T. Erhart can tell you of many of his customers who have been restored to health by the use of this remedy, but the best evidence of his faith in its powers to cure is the positive guarantee he gives with every package, something that he does not feel like giving with any of the other stomach remedies he has in his store.

Only a paper which can give the largest publicity to your want is adequately "advertising" that want. Tribune want ads. bring results.

TRIBUNE WANTS

One cent a word first insertion and one-half cent for all subsequent insertions. : : : :
No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.
WANTED—Lamb knitters at La Crosse Knitting works. Steady work, good wages. Apply at once.
WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply 1532 Madison street.
WANTED—Competent girl at 1612 Ferry street.
LADIES—\$1 every day at home; stamped envelope for particulars. Ladies' Aid, Durham, Conn.
WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1402 King street.
FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.
WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen to represent us in every locality. A little spare time spent in soliciting among your friends will bring you handsome returns. Drop us a postal and we will send you our illustrated catalogue of holiday goods. Continental Supply company, 43-45 La Salle street, Chicago, Ill.
WANTED—Kitchen girl. 214 South Seventh street.
WANTED—Girl for housework. No washing. Good wages. Call 1534 Park avenue.
WANTED—Dining room girl at the Allen hotel, 433 Mill street.
WANTED—At Eagle hotel, a cook. 120 South Fifth street.
WANTED—Girl for general housework. 121 South Third.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand show case in good condition. Phone North side office Tribune.
WANTED—Boys to learn trade. Gardner Printing company.
WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Splendid time to begin. Few weeks completes. Top wages paid graduates. Positions waiting. Best trade in the world for poor man. Little expense. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.
WANTED—Boys from 16 years and up, at La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—Men for quarry and construction work at Devil's Lake, Wis. Steady employment all winter. Wages 20 cents per hour. Free daily transportation from Baraboo. Apply to Wm. Barker, foreman, Devil's Lake.

WANTED—Wood to saw, by W. H. Emily, new phone 563; old phone 4893.
WANTED—First class cobbler. Steady job. Call Tribune office.

WANTED—Farm hand, good house and fuel provided for married man. Inquire at 116 North Third.

WANTED—Immediately SEVERAL La Crosse men or vicinity, under 35, to prepare for next Railway Mail Clerk Exams. Good prospects. 322 Inter-State Bldg., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

WANTED—Night clerk at the American House.
WANTED—500 men to eat Chile Con Carne every night, 10 cents per bowl. Sun restaurant, 111 North Third street.

MISS MILLIE OTERDINGER

MANICURE
Scalp Treatment, Electric Facial Treatment, Blemishes Removed
New Phone 565A. 129 S. Fourth St.

"Well, I must be off, Kathi, the beer is so warm today it's impossible to drink it. How much have I to pay?"
Waitress—"Twelve tankards, Herr Councilor."—Witzblatt.

"What are you crying for, youngsters?"
"O, I must show papa my school behavior certificate, and that pains me so."—Khikerki.

A Miraculous Cure.

The following statement by H. M. Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others. "A miraculous cure has taken place in our home. Our child had eczema 5 years and was pronounced incurable, when we read about Electric Bitters, and concluded to try it. Before the second bottle was all taken we noticed a change for the better, and after taking 7 bottles he was completely cured. It's the up-to-date blood medicine and body building tonic. Guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00 at O. T. Erhart's drug store.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Organ, 920 Rose.
FOR SALE—First class coal stove. Apply La Crosse Monumental Works.
FOR SALE—A good delivery horse. 430 La Crosse street. Call at once.
FOR SALE—Cheap, a small grocery, good location, cheap rent. Address P. M., Tribune office.
ELEGANT CARPET SWEEPING BRUSHES—Rapid sellers, retail at \$1.25, cost agent 40 cents; \$5 to \$10 per day easily earned, order sample and descriptive matter, Kansas City Brush company, 1731 Main street, Kansas, Mo.
FOR SALE—Good hard coal heater cheap. Inquire at 1008 State street.
FOR SALE—Two wood stoves, at 103 South Eleventh street.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern eight-room house, 1103 South Seventh.
NEW seven room modern house, hot water heat. Inquire 913 Division street.
FOR RENT—The two-story brick building on the northeast corner of Third and King streets, including barn. Fine dwelling apartments in second story. Inquire C. F. Klein, 208 McMillan building, La Crosse, Wis., or C. F. Fischer, at the Wigwam, Rochester, Minn.
FOR RENT—Three rooms, furnished for light housekeeping, at 516 Division.
FOR RENT—Store, 26x60, good location with modern five room flat above, 714 La Crosse street. Also office building, 24x40, would arrange for dwelling if desired. Apply A. M. Goldish.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, strictly modern, 214 South Seventh street.
FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, hot water, all improvements. 925 South Eleventh.
FOR RENT—Modern seven room cottage, 703 Division street. Inquire 516 North Eighth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished parlor and two bedrooms for two or four young men. 121 South Third.
FOR RENT—Small furnished room, \$1 per week. 513 King street.

FINANCIAL

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 222 Main Street, up stairs.

LOANS made on life insurance policies of old line companies. No publicity. 515 McMillan building.

BUSINESS PERSONAL

ASK US about the price of horseshoeing, driving, delivery, livery and all small horses. Four new shoes for \$1, shoes reset 15 cents, at Verkins & Lachenmaier, 222 Vine street. Not in the trust.

FOUND—Kid glove, lined. Owner can have same by calling at Tribune office and paying for this ad.

LOST

LOST—Ornament to watch fob with initial W. F. M. C. Leave at Tribune office for reward.

LOST—Gentleman's tan colored kid glove, left hand. Please leave at Hebbard's drug store, corner Fourth and Main.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch and fob Sunday afternoon between Hotel Doering and opera house. Keepsake, handsome reward for return. Mrs. Tena Byrne, 912 Cameron avenue.

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LIST OF CONTESTANTS WITH BALLOTS CAST FOR EACH

DISTRICT NO. 1.

District No. 1—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and north of Cass street to the La Crosse river.

Miss Minnie Voltz.....2007 Main.....50,342
Miss Nettie Williams.....909 La Crosse.....48,860
Miss May Gavin.....318 King.....40,094
Miss Grace Wells.....204 South Nineteenth.....28,829
Miss Sophia Dittman.....1008 Vine.....19,505
Miss Ida B. Colby.....616 North Eighth.....17,587

DISTRICT NO. 2.

District No. 2—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and south of Cass street, extending to the southern city limits.

Miss Adeline Niebuhr.....1433 South Seventh.....50,692
Miss Mamie Arenz.....1410 South Seventh.....38,229
Miss Julia Novak.....1611 South Tenth.....32,589
Miss Mary Stipek.....1111 South Third.....25,580
Miss Emma Moeser.....812 South Sixth.....21,772
Miss Blanche Michelet.....1602 Mississippi.....20,400
Miss Rose Juhl.....520 South Ninth.....19,957
Miss Clara Lukowsky.....1106 South Eleventh.....21,026

DISTRICT NO. 3.

District No. 3—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river, west of the city limits, north of La Crosse river and south of St. Paul street.

Miss Amelia Brinkman.....820 St. Andrew.....53,048
Miss Klea Bullock.....709 Avon.....50,087
Miss Christine Schmidt.....532 Avon.....30,876
Miss Mary Downs.....225 Mill.....28,863
Miss Elizabeth Pfeiffer.....824 Rose.....26,175
Miss Jennie Jones.....244 Sumner.....25,578
Miss Ella Hentschell.....402 Rose.....23,743
Miss Alice Marteau.....839 Gould.....21,065
Miss Daisy Van Bergh.....1112 Avon.....19,578
Miss Ruth Granke.....833 Rose.....15,600

DISTRICT NO. 4.

District No. 4—Includes all of the western city limits, west of the eastern city limits, north of St. Paul street and south of the northern city limits.

Miss Minnie Whittenberg.....1212 Avon.....38,080
Miss Helen Findeisen.....1532 George.....38,062
Miss Magna Larson.....1304 Avon.....46,575
Miss Etta Nesler.....1534 Berlin.....29,473
Miss Esther Koch.....1229 Avon.....27,003
Miss Josie Orwell.....1314 Caledonia.....20,308
Miss Elizabeth Mangner.....1517 Prospect.....20,161
Miss Georgina Fritz.....1321 Charles.....16,382
Miss Bertha Groeshner.....1307 Kane.....11,636

DISTRICT NO. 5.

District No. 5—Includes all territory west of the Mississippi river in the state of Minnesota, within a radius of fifty miles of La Crosse and includes such towns as Dresbach, Dakota, La Crescent, Hokah, Brownsville, Houston Caledonia, Mable, Eitjen, Spring Grove, Rushford and Preston.

Miss Nellie Kelly.....Hokah, Minn.....24,889
Miss Mary Koel.....Caledonia, Minn.....24,242
Miss Myrta Burr.....Houston, Minn.....12,796
Miss Amelia Erickson.....Mable, Minn.....11,867
Miss Grace Horning.....Dakota, Minn.....11,188
Miss Emma Ellestad.....Spring Grove, Minn.....10,439
Miss Stella Rader.....Drsbach, Minn.....3,902
Miss Leona Lee.....Dakota, Minn.....3,562
Miss Delia Post.....La Crescent, Minn.....3,510

DISTRICT NO. 6.

District No. 6—Includes all territory in the state of Wisconsin within a radius of fifty miles of the city of La Crosse excepting only the territory heretofore described as sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, and including such towns as Fountain City, Galesville, Trempealeau, Onalaska, West Salem, Stoddard, Westby, Viroqua, Sparta and Tomah.

Miss Blanche Dudley.....West Salem.....11,990
Miss Ethel Rannetsburg.....Chaseburg, Wis.....10,374
Miss Edith Moos.....Onalaska, R. F. D. No. 1.....8,487
Miss Millie Blashek.....Stoddard, Wis.....8,203
Miss Minnie Quinn.....Galesville, Wis.....4,341
Miss Mary Clark.....Onalaska, Wis.....3,389
Miss Bernice Shackley.....Tomah, Wis.....2,889
Miss Mable Ranger.....Coon Valley, Wis.....2,467

OPENING OF BIG PASTURE BISHOP WEBB ENTHRONED

(Special Tribune Service.)
LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 3.—This was the busiest day in the history of the Lawton land office. It was the first day for receiving bids on the unallotted portions of the 505,000 acres in the Kiowa-Comanche-Apache reservation. The bids are to be received during the entire week and the record of the opening day is to be taken as a criterion it would not be surprising if the total number of bids exceeded 25,000.

This means that thousands of new farms and thousands of industrious citizens will be added to the resources of the new state of Oklahoma by next spring. Under the law no bid of less than \$5 an acre will be considered. Each bidder may put in as many proposals as he desires, but the maximum to be sold to any one bidder is limited to a single quarter section. The bids will be opened one week from today. The great pasture thrown open is watered on its southern edge by the Red river and contains a large area of very fertile land. Its opening to white settlement leaves in Oklahoma only one other large reservation, the opening of which will probably not be long delayed. This is the 300,000 acres of the segregated coal and asphalt lands of the Chickasaws and Choctaws, in the southern part of the Indian Territory. This reservation abounds not only in valuable mineral deposits, but in fertile land which has remained a wilderness by reason of its segregation.

BILL POSTERS IN SESSION

(Tribune Special Service.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The National Alliance of Bill Posters and Billers of America began its annual convention in this city today with an attendance of members from many parts of this country and Canada.

Vote today in the Tribune Contest.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 3.—The enthronement of Rt. Rev. William Walter Webb as bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Milwaukee took place today and was one of the most brilliant ceremonies of its kind that has ever taken place in this city. It began in All Saints' Cathedral soon after 10 o'clock this morning and continued several hours. The large church was crowded.

The presiding bishops, co-consecrators and other prominent participants in the ceremonies included a majority of the Episcopal bishops of the middle west. The choral service was furnished by a selected choir from the student body of Nashotah house, the Episcopal seminary of which he new bishop of Milwaukee has been presiding for nearly ten years. Bishop White of Michigan City preached the consecration sermon.

One of the most impressive features of the ceremony was the entrance of the procession which came into the church in two divisions. The procession was preceded by a circular vested in scarlet cassock and gilded alb. Then came the vestry, the standing committees of the diocese, and the visiting bishops. The second division consisted of the presenting bishops, the bishop-elect and his attendants, the preacher, the co-consecrators, and closing the procession, the presiding bishop.

Vote today in the Tribune Contest.

Report of the condition of THE STATE BANK

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 12, 1906.
RESOURCES
Loans and discounts.....\$ 671,625.17
Overdrafts.....635.54
Bonds.....44,218.25
Premium on bonds.....123.52
Stocks and other securities.....28,496.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....10,000.00
Due from banks.....231,167.42
Checks on other banks and cash items.....1,644.80
Exchanges for clearing house.....9,077.29
Cash on hand.....61,430.84

Total.....\$1,058,418.83
LIABILITIES
Capital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund.....50,000.00
Undivided profits.....13,771.04
Deposits.....944,647.79
Total.....\$1,058,418.83

THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

Nov. 12th, 1906.
Resources.
Loans and discounts.....\$2,797,110.20
Overdrafts.....2,354.86
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.....250,000.00
Other bonds.....191,650.00
Banking house.....50,000.00
Other real estate.....100.00
Cash Resources.
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits.....\$ 50,000.00
With banks.....671,056.24
U. S. S.....12,500.00
In vaults.....250,039.01
Total.....\$4,275,710.31

Liabilities.
Capital.....\$ 250,000.00
Surplus.....200,000.00
Undivided profits.....54,887.50
Circulation.....248,100.00
Deposits.....3,522,722.81
Total.....\$4,275,710.31
United States Depository.

Report of the financial condition of the Batavian National bank, located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 12th day of November, 1906.

Resources.
Loans and discounts.....\$2,558,037.73
Overdrafts.....238.09
U. S. bonds.....400,000.00
Other bonds.....92,721.46
Banking houses and fixtures.....75,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund.....20,000.00
Cash and due from banks.....597,887.22
Total.....\$3,743,884.50

Liabilities.
Capital stock.....\$ 400,000.00
Surplus.....100,000.00
Undivided profits.....40,243.82
National bank notes outstanding.....395,000.00
Deposits.....2,808,640.68
Total.....\$3,743,884.50

Exchange State Bank

NORTH LA CROSSE:
Capital.....\$25,000.00
Surplus.....3,000.00
A general banking business transacted.
Officers—J. E. Wheeler, pres.; Orlando Holway, vice-pres.; Jos. P. Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry, ass't cashier. Directors—J. E. Wheeler, Orlando Holway, W. B. Tscharnar, Wm. F. Gohres, S. J. Walte.

Dr. J. F. Thompson

DENTIST
Room 1, Barron Building
New Phone 192-3 Old Phone 73-3
La Crosse Wisconsin

Gateway City Transfer Line

Passengers, Baggage and Freight Transferred To and From All Depots.
Baggage, all kinds heavy draying, pianos, safes and household goods. Finest bus in the city for picnics etc. 216-217 Vine Street. Both Phones 179

SHOOTS GIRL BY ACCIDENT

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 3.—Cornelia Koellewoyne, aged 15, is dying in the hospital as the result of a playful prank on the part of George Cook Jr.
Cook was shooting at a target with a rifle while the little girl, whose home is in Dover, was standing nearby, and in some way, it was discharged, the bullet entering the girl's right eye and coming out on the left side of her head.
Cook will not be prosecuted, as the shooting was considered an accident.
Cupid is not always a match for cupidity.

THE MARKETS

LOCAL WHOLESALE MARKETS

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery Butter, 25 to 26c.
Roll butter, 20c.
No. 1 dairy butter, 22 to 24c.
Eggs—20 to 25c.

Cheese
(Quoted by Henry Andereg.)
Cream cheese, 14 and 14½c.
Brick cheese, 13½ and 14c.
Limburger, 12 and 13c.
Longhorns, 15c.
Young Americans, 15c.
Dairies, 14½c.
German hand—Per box, 90c.

Flour
(Prices by A. Grams & Sons.)
Patent—Per barrel, \$4.40.
Straight—Barrel, \$4.20.

Meat Feed
Shorts—Per ton, \$19.
White middlings—Ton, \$21.
Red dog—Per ton, \$23.
Brant—Per ton, \$18.

Grain
(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)
Wheat—60 to 62c.
Barley, 35 to 45c.
Corn—35 to 45c.
Rye, 45 to 50c.
Oats—27 to 29c.

Livestock
(Quoted by Langdon & Boyd.)
Hogs—\$5 to \$5.60.
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2.25 to \$3.
Sheep, \$3 to \$4.
Lamb—\$4 to \$5.50.

Provisions
Lard—11½c to 11¾c.
Hams—13c to 13½c.
Bacon—13½c to 14c.
Shoulders, 10c.
Picnic hams—9½c.
Dry beef—14½c to 16½c.

Prices on City Market
Hay, \$8.50.
Potatoes, 35c.

LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 26c.
Butter—Dairy, 28c; creamery, 30c.

Fruits
Eating apples—Peck, 25 to 40c.
Cooking apples—Peck, 20c.
Oranges—Dozen, 35 to 50c.
Lemons—Dozen, 25c and 30c.
Bananas—Dozen, 15 to 20c.

Vegetables
Head lettuce—Bunch, 10 to 12c.
Celery—Stalk, 5c.
Cauliflower—15c.
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.
New Cabbage—Each, 5c.
Potatoes—Bushel, 50c.
Carrots—Peck, 15c.
Beets—Peck, 15c.

Rutabagas—Peck, 10 to 15c.
Sweet Potatoes—Pound, 5c.
Hubbard squash, 5 to 10c.
Pears—Dozen, 20 to 25c.
Pickling onions—Peck, 25c.
Pumpkins—Each, 5c.
Quinces—Peck, 75c.

California grapes—Basket, 20c.
Cawtaba grapes—Basket, 25c.
Malaga grapes—Per pound, 20c.

Fish
(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)
Pickerel, 8c; pike, 12½c; white, 15c; trout, 12½c; salmon, 15c; hering, 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

Poultry
Old chickens, 10c; young chickens, 2½c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 15c; geese, 12½c.

MEETS IN MEXICO

(Tribune Special Service.)
CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 3.—Delegates from the United States, Canada, Cuba and Mexico were present today at the opening of the thirty-fourth annual conference of the American Public Health association. Daily sessions of the conference will be held until the end of the week. Dr. Frank C. Robinson of Brunswick, Me., is the presiding officer. Unusual interest is attached to the present meeting, as world-famous specialists are to discuss the best measures to eradicate tropical diseases. Numerous other subjects relating to the public health will be given attention.

SEAMEN'S UNION CONVENES

(Tribune Special Service.)
BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 3.—At the International Seamen's Union convention, which began in this city today, delegates were present representing the Pacific, Atlantic, gulf and lake organizations of seamen, firemen, mates, cooks, fishermen and other affiliated crafts. President William Penje of Chicago called the gathering to order and President A. M. Huddell of the Boston Central Labor Union welcomed the visitors. The convention will be in session a week or ten days, during which time much important business is to be transacted. The of the several officers show gratifying gains during the past year, both numerically and financially.

Some men apparently have so much to do that they never have time to do any of it.

CORN LANDS

Do you want corn and hay lands, rich as the valley of the Nile? Do you want a farm in the Sunny South? A climate so mild that frost is seldom known, and fields so fertile that three crops a season can be raised. You can get all this in Tidewater Virginia and Eastern North Carolina, along the lines of the NORFOLK & SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Write for descriptive literature, and farm list.
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Railroad Time Tables

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	2:35 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 11:35 p.m.	3:10 a.m. 7:05 a.m. 10:45 a.m.
Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis	3:20 a.m. 7:15 a.m. 10:55 p.m.	2:30 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 11:15 p.m.
Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	12:01 p.m. 3:50 p.m.	11:20 a.m. 4:55 p.m.
Southern Minnesota Division	10:30 a.m. 7:20 p.m.	11:20 p.m. 3:45 p.m.

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.
For Winona, Albia, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon

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PriceCalumet
Baking
Powder\$1.000.00 will be given for
any substance injurious to
health found in Calumet.EMPLOYEES MAY BUY
POSTAL STOCK

Employees of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company may become stockholders in that corporation if they please. An order has been issued by the company to its 15,000 employees, extending to them the privilege of purchasing preferred stock on the installment plan.

The arrangement under which employees are to be given this opportunity is outlined in a circular issued by the New York management. It proposes to sell shares on a basis of \$99 each. A cash payment of \$19 is to be followed by monthly installments of \$5 until the stock is paid.

The postal recently raised the wages of several classes of its employees and shortened the hours of work in other departments.

Thomas Keegan is the manager of the local office. Three La Crosse men are affected by the order.

SEASON OF AUTOSHOWS ON

(Tribune Special Service.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The seventh annual show of the Automobile Club of America was formally opened here in the Grand Central Palace, and for a week to come the "toot-toot" and "honk honk" of a myriad of motor cars, including all kinds and sizes and numbers will echo through the big structure on Lexington avenue. In the number and variety of exhibits the show is fully up to the expectations of its promoters, who have worked unusually hard to put up a fine exhibition this year in opposition to the so-called national automobile show to be held in Madison Square Garden next month. Motor vehicles propelled by steam, gasoline and electricity are on exhibition, and the exhibits present a fine sight to those who are interested in this sort of thing.

While the motor car and everything pertaining to it forms the chief attraction, there are other things worth looking at that will not only interest the automobilist, but the general public as well. In conjunction with the show the Aero Club of America is holding the most complete exhibition of balloons and airships ever seen in this country, while everything new and novel in the aeronautic line, from wind wagons to aeroplanes and flapping wing machines is on view.

RETIREMENT OF MACKLIN

(Tribune Special Service.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—After forty-three years of active service in the army Col. James E. Macklin, Fourth Infantry, goes on the retired list at his own request. Col. Macklin is a native of New York and during the civil war served in the ranks in the Sixteenth Infantry.

Long Tennessee Fight.

For twenty years W. L. Rawls, of Bells, Tenn., fought nasal catarrh. He writes: "The swelling and soreness inside my nose was fearful, till I began applying Bucklen's Arnica Salve to the sore surface: this caused the soreness and swelling to disappear, never to return." Best salve in existence. 25c at O. T. Erhart, druggist.

IMPORTANT CASES TO TRY

(Tribune Special Service.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1.—The United States supreme court reconvened today after the Thanksgiving recess. An unusual number of important cases crowd the docket. Among these is the case of Sheriff Shipp and others of Chattanooga, Tenn., who are charged with contempt of the supreme court in connection with the lynching of a negro in whose case the court has assumed jurisdiction. Another case in which interest is taken is that of the United States vs. Falk & Bro. of New York, involving the question as to whether imported tobacco is dutiable on the basis of its weight when it enters, or when it is withdrawn from the warehouse. The Virginia "Fertilizer trust" cases are also on the docket for hearing. These cases are in the nature of habeas corpus proceedings and the defendants who are connected with the alleged trust are resisting removal from the eastern district of Virginia to the middle district of Tennessee for trial.

Chronic borrowers are more or less touchy.

LEATHER

For Christmas Novelties, Sofa Pillows, Moccasins, Etc.

We have both the smooth and split sheep leather suitable for burnt work. We make Indian moccasins, both plain and beaded in white or russet leather at reasonable prices, or will furnish you moccasin patterns. We do Indian bead work of all kinds and have beads for sale, also all kinds of gold and silver trimmings. We will do your burnt work at a reasonable price.

E. G. STAATS & CO.,
Lodge Outfitters
Both Phones. 1646 Charles St.

ELKS' TRIBUTE TO ABSENT BROTHERS

Milwaukee, Kenosha, Winona and Other
Lodges Hold Annual Services

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 3.—Milwaukee Elks and their friends gathered yesterday afternoon in their new temple on Jefferson street to pay honor to their deceased members. The impressive ritual, the addresses of respect and eulogy, and the musical program, were all in keeping with the solemnity of the occasion. The lodge hall was filled to the doors, several hundred men and women being present. Similar services were held simultaneously in all the lodges of the order throughout the United States.

Names of deceased members were inscribed on memorial tablets at the front of the hall. The stage was beautifully decorated in palms, ferns, smilax and chrysanthemums. Seated upon it in a circle were the officers of the lodge and the speakers.

Leaves Sick Bed to Speak

The Rev. H. H. Jacobs delivered the invocation, following which the prescribed forms were said by Exalted Ruler Thomas J. Pringle, the officers and members of the lodge joining in the ceremonies. Music by Claude's orchestra and the Arlington quartet was interspersed during the meeting.

M. D. Kelly delivered the address for the lodge. Although he rose from a sick bed to attend the services Mr. Kelly spoke well and with great feeling.

"This is an occasion of mingled joy and sorrow," he said. "With pleasant memories of our absent comrades in their lifetime comes the sad recollection that they are gone forever from our society in this life. The haunts that knew them will know them no more. Never again here on earth will hearts be gladdened by their kindly sympathy and Christian charity. But in the recollection that in life they were true Elks and to the best of their abilities lived up to the teachings of this order is much of comfort and solace to their friends."

"Elks are no shatterers of reputation, no mongers of scandal. That greatest of all the commandments, 'Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor,' has no terrors for him who lives up to the teachings of our order. The world is getting better and more charitable as a result of the growth of societies like ours, which recognize the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God."

God.

Rule of Life for Elks

"To say kind things and do kind things, to believe in our neighbors and ourselves and to fear and love God is our doctrine, and our brothers who have departed this life, we believe, lived up to it fully."

"The day of the muck raker is past. Perhaps it has served a purpose in making things better, but it is past. There is more harm done in slandering the living than in any other way and while paying loving tribute to the memory of the dead let us not forget today our duty to the living."

Democratic National Committeeman T. E. Ryan, a member of Waukesha lodge No. 400, was the visiting speaker. He explained the nature of the services and their extent to all parts of Elksdom, paying respect to all the dead of the order in a general eulogy.

Three Cardinal Principles

"The Elks have three cardinal principles," he said. "Charity, justice and brotherly love. To live for self alone is to have a narrow, cheerless existence and this we aim to correct. No member of this lodge is ever found unwilling to add his offering to the happiness of the world or to help a fellow man in distress and if our absent brothers were true to the teachings of their order we are certain that the terrors of death were mercifully lessened for them."

Kenosha Elks Pay Tribute

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 3.—The annual memorial services of the Kenosha lodge of Elks was held here yesterday afternoon with more than 200 in attendance. Past Exalted Ruler Otis L. Trenary delivered the annual eulogy, paying loving tribute to former Mayor Ossian M. Pettit and Thomas Cecil O'Donnell, the two members of the lodge who died during the year.

Winona Elks' Services

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

WINONA, Minn., Dec. 3.—Elks of this city held elaborate annual memorial services here yesterday. Speakers and singers of note were present at the services, which were largely attended, and were most impressive.

No services were held by La Crosse Elks yesterday, owing to the previous engagement of the theater, in which it was planned to hold the ceremonies.

All Cars Start and Stop at This Store

Cold Weather Gloves
for Everybody

Black and colors, fleeced or golf gloves, 25c
at pair.....
Black and colors silk lined and golf gloves, 50c
at.....

Mittens

Big assortment, all grades and colors, 50c
at pair 10c to.....

Handkerchiefs

Sample line of handkerchiefs, a snap for Christmas shoppers, two lines, 19c to..... 25c

Stock Collars

Silk stock collars, big Christmas line, 50c
at 25c and.....

Wool Challies

30 inch wool challies for waists, new styles, 39c
at yard.....

Hand Bags

Very special, one hundred choice hand bags, 50c
at each

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WHERE PRICES AND QUALITY ARE RIGHT

Friend—"Who was that funny old party you were speaking to just now?"
"That was my wife" (sighing deeply), "but she isn't at all funny, I can tell you."—Bombe.

Elderly singer (to conductor after the concert)—"Look here, Herr Conductor, your orchestra played so loud tonight the audience could scarcely hear my aria."

Conductor—"You should be glad." Wiener Caracaturen.

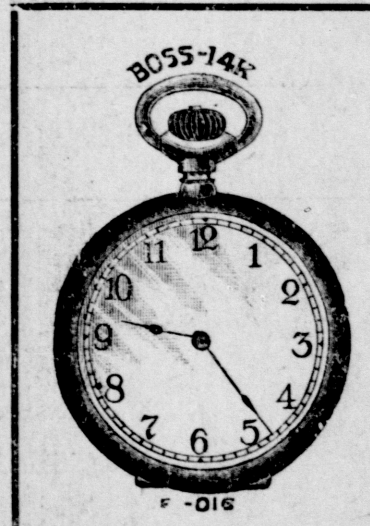
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GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

My entire stock of Jewelry must be sold by January 1st, as I have arranged to leave La Crosse at that time.

GET YOUR CHRISTMAS
PRESENTS NOW

It will pay you to get your Christmas Presents now, while my Sale is on, for I am going to sell regardless of cost. Everything in my store must be sold by January 1st.



Here is a Partial List of what you can Select

Clocks,
Watches,
Cut Glass,
Cuff Buttons,
Child's Silver Sets,
Elk Buttons,
Back Combs,
Fobs,

Watch Chains,
Lockets,
Watch Charms,
Stick Pins,
Finger Rings, Large Variety
Hollow Ware,
Souvenir Spoons,
Match Safes, Solid Silver.

Tea Spoons,
Desert Spoons,
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Beauty Pins,
Eagle Charms,
Eye Glasses,
Gold Beads,
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Seasonable Suggestions
for Holiday Gifts

It is often very hard to think what would be an appropriate gift to give, and many of us wait until the very last moment and then purchase something that first thought suggests. We are going to try to help you, and if you will only stop and think that there is only 19 more shopping days until Christmas, it will be a very wise move to start your shopping now. Anything you wish picked out we will gladly store it for you and deliver it when you desire.

Rockers that range in prices from.....	\$2.00 up to \$35.00
Chiffoniers that range in prices from.....	5.00 up to 20.00
Iron Beds that range in prices from.....	1.50 up to 25.00
Mattresses that range in prices from.....	1.60 up to 15.00
Bed Springs that range in prices from.....	1.25 up to 7.00
Couches that range in prices from.....	4.50 up to 35.00
Dressers that range in prices from.....	8.00 up to 21.00
Parlor Suits that range in prices from.....	13.50 up to 60.00
Dining Tables that range in prices from.....	6.50 up to 35.00
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Rugs, sizes 8x3, 10x6 and 9x12, from.....	19.50 up to 40.00
All wool Carpets, per yard at.....	59c and 67c

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